



## Budget aims to 'reduce costs, not quality of life'

A CRITICALLY important "crossroads" budget including £900,000 worth of savings must be thrashed out for Weymouth and Portland in coming weeks.

Resources director Jason Vaughan said the council had a working vision up to 2020 when the authority would be "dramatically different".

He told the *View From*: "The focus for Weymouth and Portland

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has to be on greater commercialisation and closer working with the community as to how we can provide services such as what happened with the Pavilion and working with Friends groups on facilities such as parks.

"We have to try and become less reliant on

Government grants because, by 2020, we don't want to rely on Government grants at all. That is the vision, so this is effectively a crossroads budget."

He was speaking after the 2014-2015 budget took its first step towards being approved when it

was presented at a meeting of the council's management committee. It must now be debated by other committees ahead of final approval at the February 2014 full council meeting.

Acting chairman Councillor Peter Chapman described it as "a holding budget" because Phase 3 of the new partnership with West Dorset council would be reforming services to generate more income as part of "our 2020 vision" for which continued cross-party working was "vital".

He added that the £900,000 budget gap had been closed through proposals such as a 1.9 percent council tax increase, higher proposed crematorium fees, rationalising the Weymouth and Portland events programme

and proposed parks and open spaces savings, but there was still a budget gap of about £185,000. Another £1.25 million worth of savings will have to be made by 2017.

Councillor Ian Munro-Price said members' aim was to "reduce costs not the quality of life within the borough" while Councillor Ian Bruce said the budget was "extremely good" in the main and delivered required services.

He particularly praised the council's events team, but said he had "serious issues" over proposals to fund £4.8 million worth of harbor repairs through internal lending over 40 years, but Mr Vaughan replied that this was the best way of funding the project from a council tax payer's point of view to

maintain services.

Councillor Ray Nowak said members had to look at helping Portland Town Council move forward from "a fairly inactive position" and perhaps a small working party could look at how some services could be moved from the borough for the town council to handle. Mr Chapman said that kind of innovation was what was needed.

A more commercial approach "has got to be our future", said Councillor Ian Roebuck, and he and colleagues then approved putting the budget out to consultation.

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● **WHY do you live in Weymouth?**

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● **WHERE do you go for your holidays?**

Tenerife because it is nice and hot. I am a sun person. I like the sun. It is also very clean there and they make you very welcome.

● **WHAT is your favourite time of the year?**

I love summer. I am a people person and it is lovely to see the town busy in summer and at that time of year I meet a lot of very interesting people here on holiday. This is useful because they give me feedback about how they feel about Weymouth and Portland.

● **WHAT is your favourite film?**

"Bridge Over the River Kwai". I like it because it is a true story well acted with a lot of tension. Thoroughly enjoyable viewing. If I can't have Kwai then I would choose Zulu which I think is a great film.

● **WHAT is the scariest thing that has ever happened to you?**

Cycling through the countryside in West Sussex just after midnight with all around me the rustle of animals stirring in Westbourne Forest. I just rode faster and faster because I was only 16 at the time and my imagination was playing all sorts of tricks on me about what was out there!

● **IF you could live your life again what would you be?**

An entertainer. That was simple, it is in my blood. My father was a professional entertainer, so I was brought up with it.

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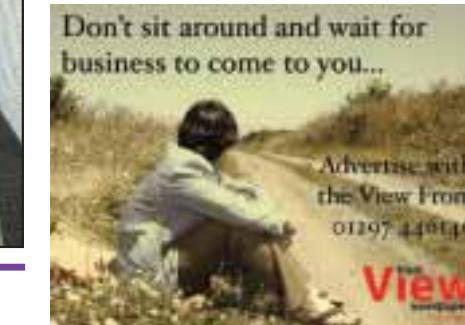
Freddie Mercury because he was a very exciting, intelligent, nice generous person; Norman Wisdom because he was a very funny man and I imagine he would be good company; and Hayley Westenra because she has the purest voice you will ever hear in your life.

● **WHAT would you do if you won the Lottery?**

I would make sure that my five children had a house each of their own and I would go away and have a holiday to think about what I would do with the rest.

● **WHAT do you hope the future holds?**

Happiness, that is very important to me. Happiness not just for myself but for my whole family. If you are happy then everything stems from that.



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## Relocation report 'not fit for purpose'

COUNCILLORS want a raft of costing figures to help them decide where staff could be relocated when the Weymouth and Portland council offices on North Quay are sold.

A key consideration was making maximum use of other offices owned by the authority at Crookhill Depot, Chickrell, a meeting of the council's management committee was told.

But members only agreed that remaining staff should be relocated provided options and full costings were presented to them for consideration at a later meeting and that this should also be subject to "acceptable conclusions" with the UNISON union which represents 70 percent of staff, at least 170 of whom are affected.

UNISON spokesman Chris Moscrop said there had been no consultation with staff on the issue and concerns had previously been expressed at the "forced relocation of staff".

Councillor Ray Nowak was heavily critical of "a disaster of a report" which didn't provide the cost of different moves to help councillors decide where staff

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should go, particularly on the option of South Walks, Dorchester, which could take 100 jobs out of the borough.

If they went to the county town then those people would not be spending their lunchtime money in Weymouth's economy which was "a really bad news story". Jobs needed to be retained in Weymouth and Portland, he said, at sites such as the Mulberry Centre.

Councillor Ian Bruce wanted to know the cost of any staff move to South Walks, particularly with Weymouth sites available such as the Guildhall and a whole suite of offices at the Pavilion.

He added: "We need a complete picture. This report is not fit for purpose to make a decision on where we are going."

Councillor Geoff Petherick also asked what the cost implications were while Councillor Ian Roebuck said

one option was to have a small suite of offices within any new development on the council offices site.

Environment director David Evans replied that, if councillors had concerns, they should provide guidance so officers could refine their efforts to concentrate on those areas.

He added: "We need an idea of which direction you want to head. Do you want a civic suite and a front office? We need to know what you want to focus on. It would be good and sensible to make use of Crookhill because that is the best and cheapest option you have."

"It is sensible to report back with costings but we need direction on what the costings should be for."

Acting chairman Councillor Peter Chapman said: "What is absolutely clear is that getting rid of this building and relocating staff saves money. We need to crack on with that."

He added that jobs moving out of Weymouth town centre would have an impact but people moving in to a new development on the site would mean greater benefit and "we can't afford to delay".

## Fence vandalism puts people's safety at risk

VANDALS have put people's safety at risk by damaging fencing and signs warning about a walk landslip in Weymouth.

Now Dorset County Council is urging people to be aware of the problem and to take care along the Rodwell Trail.

The footpath by Wyke Road Bridge was closed following a landslip last year and signs were put up to prevent people using the unsafe route.

Vandals have removed signs and damaged fencing that was erected across the path to stop walkers. Now gabions baskets full of rocks have been placed across the access point with more fencing which has already been damaged.

County Cabinet environment spokesman Hilary Cox said: "Removing these signs and fences is a pointless act of vandalism. They are putting themselves and other people at risk of injury or even worse."

Weymouth and Portland council is responsible for the banked areas of the path and transport and infrastructure spokesman Councillor Christine James said: "We are working with the county council to investigate how the banked areas next to the footpath can be stabilised so that it can be reopened in the future."

For details about path closures and diversions visit [www.southwestcoastpath.com/faq/route-changes/](http://www.southwestcoastpath.com/faq/route-changes/).

## Cash donations to help charity drive down accidents through education

TWO housing groups have donated £7,000 to the SafeWise charity based at Weymouth Community Safety Centre to help road safety in Dorset.

SafeWise provide safety education to the people of Dorset through their immersive learning programmes FireWise and HealthWise education schemes which have been in operation for over two years.

Schools and community groups that attend are given the opportunity to learn about hazards in the home and escape plans through the simulated house where special effects create the issues they may find.

The next phase of the development will be to provide road and night time safety education to post 16-year-old students and other groups.

SafeWise approached Spectrum Housing Group and Synergy Housing's individual community panels for funding support with the aim of changing the night time and road safety elements into an interactive, immersive learning experience to compliment the other programmes run from the centre.

SafeWise centre manager Vikki Thomas said: "The money we have received will go towards the purchase of a driving simulator. The simulator will give the opportunity to learn about the consequences of 'poor' driving such as mobile phone use, not wearing a seat belt and speeding."

"The hope is that colleges and sixth form education establishments from across the county will bring their students to experience the new education programmes."

She added: "We are so grateful to the two housing



■ FROM left is Dorset Fire and Rescue Service road safety manager Kate Huelin, Dave Allan, Liz Baker and Bev Tarrant from Spectrum, Angie Gould from Synergy, DFRS education and youth development manager Tess Cross and Vikki Thomas

associations for their support in our bid to drive down road traffic collisions in Dorset."

Anyone wishing to enquire about any of Safe-

Wise's education programmes should contact education officer Dave Allan on 01305 753051 or Vikki Thomas for general information.

## Attacker leaves man unconscious in undergrowth

AN attacker left a man unconscious in undergrowth by the Rodwell Trail in Weymouth.

Police say the 4.30am incident on November 25th happened near the bridge on Buxton Road.

Officers add that the victim, a 38-year-old local man, remembers heading in the direction of Portland when he was approached by an unknown man who demanded his mobile phone.

They said his next memory is wak-

ing up in undergrowth on the Rodwell Trail calling for help and being assisted by a passing dog walker at around 2pm later that day.

His iPhone and cash were missing and he had sustained a minor head injury which led him to report the incident to police.

Detective Constable Tony O'Connell, of Weymouth CID, said: "It is believed the victim had been knocked unconscious for a number of hours be-

fore being found by a member of the public.

"He would have been highly visible in day light on this well used route and I am keen to hear from anyone who walked that stretch of the Rodwell Trail on Monday, November 25th, before the victim was found at 2pm.

"I am also very keen to hear from anyone who may have seen an incident take place or who may have details of how the victim sustained a

head injury and had personal items stolen.

"He has no recollection of the incident, and is unable to provide any description of a possible offender. All calls will be treated in confidence."

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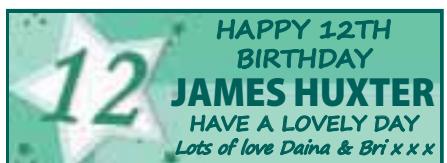
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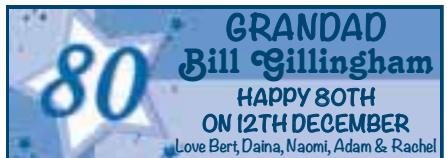
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# Force's week of action to tackle legal highs

DORSET Police has staged a week of action to tackle the issue of so-called 'legal highs'.

Officers have been targeting suspected suppliers of substances sold as 'legal highs' and from November 25th to December 1st visited four addresses in the county.

They also sent letters to four people living in Dorset who are believed to have bought 'legal highs' over the internet.

The activity was aimed at stemming the supply of these products and raising awareness of the potential dangers of new psychoactive substances.

Detective Chief Inspector Mark Callaghan said: 'Just because a substance is sold in a shop or on the internet as 'legal' does not mean it is legal or safe, and sadly there are clever people out there making a lot of money by selling drugs under the misnomer 'legal highs' which may in fact pose a risk to people's health.'

'The reality is that many of these products either contain controlled substances which are illegal or uncontrolled substances whose side-effects cannot be predicted.'

'People selling these products are profiting on a significant scale and this campaign is about sending a clear message throughout the county as to the potential health risks from products labelled 'legal

highs'. It is also about educating people about the consequences of using these products.'

'Anyone who buys such substances is playing roulette with their health and their futures.'

'Possession of a controlled drug can lead to a criminal record which could damage job prospects and future travel plans.'

Dr William Haydock, Dorset's Drug and Alcohol Action Team Information and Research Officer, said: 'There are a wide range of services

to help Dorset residents who have drug and alcohol problems.'

'Support ranges from advice and information through to structured treatment and aftercare, and includes access to support groups of people with similar experiences.'

'Services offering information and support for those affected by someone else's drug or alcohol use are also available.'

For more information, visit [www.dorsetforyou.com/drugsandalcohol](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/drugsandalcohol)

## Time is running out to apply for a school place

DORSET parents are being reminded that there are only a few weeks left to apply for their child's reception school place.

Children born between September 1st 2009 and August 31st 2010 should start school in September 2014, and parents have until January 15th to apply for a reception place.

Dorset County Council's handles school admissions for the county and is reminding parents that they must apply now to be in with a chance of securing a place at one of their preferred schools.

Cllr Toni Coombs, Cabinet member for education at Dorset County Council, said: 'With Christmas nearly upon us, we want to make sure that parents

don't forget to send us their applications. Starting school is a major milestone in a child's life and I cannot stress enough how important it is that families apply on time, as submitting an application late affects the likelihood of being allocated a place at a preferred school.'

All the information, including an online application form, is available at [www.dorsetforyou.com/schooladmissions](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/schooladmissions). Alternatively, families can call 01305 221060 for an application pack to be sent out in the post.

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# Knitted poppies raise £1,840

A CHEQUE for £1,840 has been presented to the national Poppy Appeal by Weymouth's Let's Make It group, which is funded by Synergy Housing.

Group spokesman Julie Hursthause said they raised the money by selling more than 2,000 poppies created by hand by knitters aged 15-85 years.

She added: "It was fantastic fun and all for a good cause. We were helped to our total with poppies made by Age UK Portland to whom we are very grateful.

"We have done this now for two years, but next year, which will be the 100th anniversary of the outbreak of World War I, will be the last time. That's because we have to spread our efforts, so from 2015 onwards it will be the turn of different charities to benefit from what we do."

Their cheque was accepted on behalf of the appeal by South Dorset MP Richard Drax.

He said: "This has been a wonderful effort. What is lovely is that more people want to buy knitted poppies and are prepared to pay more money for them."

Royal British Legion county chairman Dennis Wright said: "It is really good to get a cheque this, brilliant. It will all go into the national pot which is hoped to reach £37million."



**SOUTH Dorset MP Richard Drax accepts the cheque from Julie Hursthause watched by supporters and friends**

## Going wild for Christmas

REINDEER created using a chainsaw were among gifts on offer when the Chesil Beach Centre held its annual Christmas bazaar.

The centre offered a variety of local arts and crafts stalls included ones for scented candles, cards, plaques, pic-

tures, paintings, jewellery and knitwear.

DWT organiser Marc Smith said: "We had a nice variety of gifts to reflect local wildlife and scenery."

"We even had a Green Santa to entertain children and teach them how to look after

wildlife and how to recycle Christmas material.

"Part of the bazaar takings and all our money from the shop will go towards local conservation."

Pictured is Marc Smith and Megan Lowe with some of Santa's reindeer.



## Christmas at St Paul's

ST PAUL'S Church in Abbotsbury Road, Weymouth, has announced its range of Christmas services.

On Sunday, December 15th, there will be carols at 3pm with the Salvation Army.

On Christmas Eve there will be Christingle and the lighting of the Christmas tree at 4pm followed by Carols by Candlelight at 7pm while at 11.30pm there will be Midnight Mass.

Christmas Day sees Parish Communion with Carols at 10.30pm while on Sunday, December 29th there will be The Holy Family, a Combined Eucharist at 10.30am.

On Sunday, January 5th there will be Epiphany, the Procession of the Wise Men and Combined Eucharist at 10.30am.

## Carols in the gardens

THE Friends of Greenhill Gardens in Weymouth are hosting their ever popular Carols in the Gardens on Sunday, December 15th, at 4pm.

Music from local group Brass Tacks will provide the backing for some rousing Christmas songs and carols at the Bandstand.

There will also be free mince pies and warming mulled drinks to help keep the cold away.

## Mixed weather in November

WEYMOUTH enjoyed a November which saw rainfall down, sunshine up and temperatures slightly below average.

Town weatherman Bob Poots said most of the rainfall was confined to the first fortnight with none in the final ten days of the month to produce 59.1mm, well down on the average of 93.1mm for November.

By contrast, sunshine for November was nearly 20 percent up at 102 hours to bring the total so far for 2013 to just over 1,800 hours, nearly 20 hours above the annual average. The sun only failed to appear on six days of the month.

All temperatures were below the November average with maximum down 0.5 Centigrade at 11.4C, minimum down 0.7C at 6.1C, the average mean down 0.7C at 8.7C.

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## Christmas tree festival continues to thrive

HOPE Church Christmas Tree Festival has been giving a traditional glitter to Weymouth's seasonal festivities.

The festival, which runs until Saturday, December 21st, is now in its 10th year. Organiser Geoff Tizard-King (pictured) said: "We have 25 Christmas trees, each one of which represents and supports a different charity."

"Each one has its own collection bucket and visitors can tour the trees and make a donation to the one which appeals to them most."

"We also have live music with choirs, organists or keyboard players performing each day with up to eight schools taking part."

"Refreshments are available every day including soup and roll lunches and the whole festival is proving very popular."

"If we do as well in 2013 as we have done previously then this year will see us reach the £10,000 mark for our charity fundraising."

# Return of Victorian Shownight

by Harry Walton

SNOW, costumes from a bygone era and lashings of fun and entertainment brought crowds pouring in to Weymouth for the return of the town's Victorian Shownight.

The square outside Debenhams was packed to capacity to enjoy everything from the Quangle Wangle choir, the Decadettes singers and the Julie Storey dancers to the seasonal sight of two reindeer munching hay in a pen or Santa dispensing presents in his grotto.

Stars from Weymouth's hugely popular pantomime, Cinderella, entertained everyone, shops stayed open late to reap custom from the crowds and Shownight organiser Roger Dalton was delighted.

He said: "There was a real buzz about the town and the feedback I got was that bringing back Victorian Shownight was warmly welcomed."

"We will be donating all money from Santa's grotto to the Weldmar Hospicecare Trust."

Nigel Reed, manager of title sponsor Weymouth Business Improvement District said: "We are really pleased that the return of Victorian Shownight has been so well received."

"In the 1990s it was a very popular festival retail shopping event and we have gone back to that for 2013 and beyond."

The traditional switching on of the Christmas lights was performed by Weymouth and Portland Mayor Councillor Ray Banham who said: "It was fantastic to see so many people out and about at Victorian Shownight."

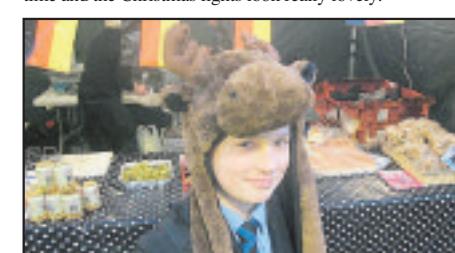
"It gave the town a wonderful boost, everyone had a great time and the Christmas lights look really lovely."



WEYMOUTH and Portland Mayor Ray Banham switches on the Christmas lights with the cast of Cinderella



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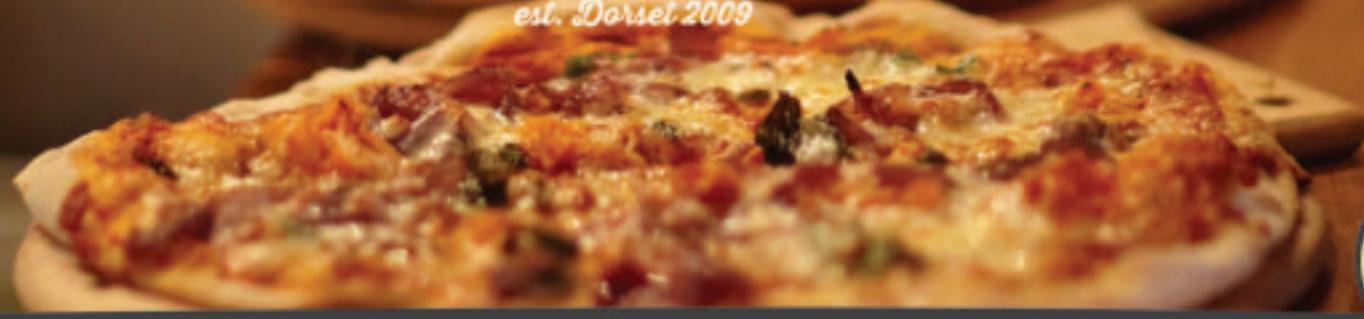
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## Prince's Trust project looking for support

JANUARY 2014 will see a Prince's Trust Personal Development programme for 16-25-year-olds run from Weymouth Community Safety Centre.

It will be the trust's 23rd such team in Weymouth and the programme, which runs from January 20th to April 11th, aims are to help young people improve their confidence and esteem and achieve a positive outcome such as education, training and employment.

There is currently a success rate of 82 per cent of young people achieving these goals within three months of finishing the course, which is full time from 9.30am-4.30pm for 12 weeks.

In this time the trust sets action points-goals, runs team building activities including a residential, community projects, work placements, and has career weeks where participants do first aid and fire fighting with Dorset Fire and Rescue Service as well as a police awareness and crime scene investigation with Dorset Police. This is all rounded up with a final presentation to dignitaries, friends and families.

Anyone interested or able to help should contact Jo McGowan on 01305 753032 or email her at jo.mcgowan@dorsetfire.gov.uk.

## Busy month for café

CHRISTMAS lunches are on the menu at the Jailhouse Café on Portland.

The popular site, which is open seven days a week from 10am-3pm, is offering festive two-course meals. The Café's "Art in the Community" project is now being supported by local artist John Horrell while local art groups will be able to display their work in the café.

The first exhibition by Weymouth Art Group will be on display from today (December 11th). People are invited to come along and view the work.

# Lions raise the roof with variety show



■ FRIENDS of Weymouth Pavilion chairman Cathy Paige-Nash (right) receives a £200 cheque from Russ Woolley watched by Silvia Noakes



■ THE stars of the show

A CAPACITY audience roared its approval when Weymouth and Portland Lions Club staged its annual Christmas show for senior citizens at the Pavilion.

The event, which was compared by Dickie Williams, also featured a variety of acts including Weymouth Operatic Society, the Cathy and Sylvia comedy duo and a special "silly" Lions comedy sketch which this year featured a group of Lions in drag.

Nearly 1,000 people enjoyed the show

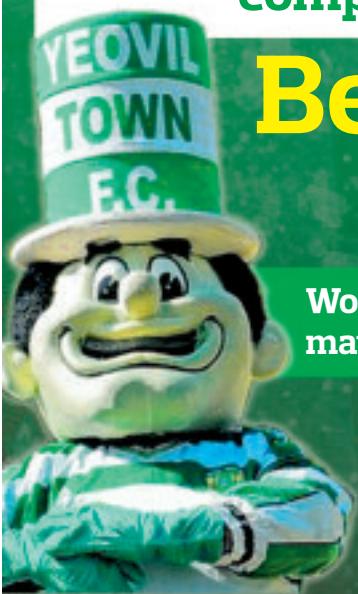


■ RUSS Woolley presents Phil Say with a £200 cheque

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## Be a Mascot at YEOVIL TOWN

Would you like to **be a Mascot** at Yeovil Town's Championship match at Huish Park against **Burnley** on **Saturday, January 11th**?

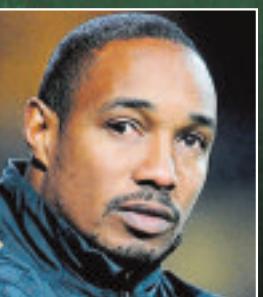


This competition is open to youngsters age 8 to 14 and all you have to do is **identify** Yeovil Town manager **Gary Johnson** from the six Championship managers below. Just circle the photo of Gary, cut out this competition and send it with your name, age, address and telephone number to:-

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*Closing date: Monday, December 30th.*



**NEXT HOME MATCH:** Saturday, December 7th v CHARLTON ATHLETIC, kick-off 3pm

# 'Outstanding' inspection report for care service

A DORSET organisation is celebrating after receiving top marks for its care services.

East Dorset Housing Trust's domiciliary care and support service was described as "outstanding" following a Care Quality Commission (CQC) inspection.

The company provides services to people in their own homes throughout Dorset including schemes in Weymouth, Portland, Dorchester and Bridport.

Last year alone it delivered more than 94,000 hours of care to the sheltered elderly, adults with learning disabilities and other vulnerable client groups.

The unannounced inspection focused on customer choice, welfare and safety and how the organisation supports staff and assesses the quality of service.

Inspectors looked at client records and interviewed customers, families and staff members. The findings of the inspection concluded that East Boro met and exceeded all standards.

Mary Stepin, East Boro's director of housing care and support said: "East Boro prides itself on providing quality Person Centred Care and Support; we strive to ensure our service is delivered to the highest quality and

standards everyday of the week, and the CQC Inspector report validates our ethos and the way in which we provide our services."

"It gives our customers confidence to know that East Boro Care and Support team have been inspected by CQC, the Independent regulator of all health and adult social care, and that the service complies with Government requirements.

"This outstanding report now means we can push ahead with our recruitment drive as we endeavour to meet an increased demand for service provision across Dorset."

## Snow falls at Buxton House festive fair

■ SNOW fell from an ornamental tree as Weymouth's Buxton House care home held its annual Christmas fair.

Santa was in his grotto and visitors could also enjoy stalls for flowers, cakes, arts and crafts.

Manager Mark Dobson said: "The fair was well attended by relatives, friends and the general public.

"All money raised from the event will go to our amenity fund for residents."

### Sound equipment stolen

THIEVES have stolen a silver metal case containing leads and microphones.

Police say the case was taken between 12.50am-9am on December 8th from the front doorstep of a property on Abbotsbury Road, Weymouth.

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## Packed hall for St John

■ NEARLY two hundred people flocked to enjoy a St John Ambulance coffee morning in Easton Methodist Church hall on Portland.

The event included cakes, raffles, a tombola, jewellery, books and Christmas gifts.

Portland St John unit manager Terry Shakespeare said: "We never expected so many people but we were very grateful for the support of those who turned up.

"The money we raised will be put towards buying a new uniform for the cadets including parkas and fleeces. One next major duty will be providing first aid at the Easton Promise Christmas event in Easton Square."

Pictured is St John's Lindsey Jones and Terry Shakespeare at the coffee morning.

## Music and dancing for Weldmar

TWO Weldmar Hospicecare Trust events will be held in Weymouth on Saturday, December 28th.

The first will see Tony Lowe sing with the One Voice choir at the Methodist Church in Melcombe Avenue at 7.30pm.

Tickets cost £5 and are available from Pat on 01305 833469 or from fundraising on 01305 261800.

There will also be light refreshments.

Those looking for different entertainment can journey to Weymouth Pavilion Ocean Room on the same night to dance with Replay supported by Nigel Lawrence from 7.30pm - 11.45pm.

Basket meals will be available.

Tickets cost £6 and are available from Pat on 01305 833469, fundraising on 01305-261800, Lynn on 07711765556 or the Pavilion on 01305 783225.



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## The Christian Column

## AS I SEE IT ...

by Geoff Treleaven

## Truths in code

AS I wrote last week, "The Twelve Days of Christmas" originally had a far deeper meaning than we might think. Each of the twelve days had a secret meaning.

Five gold rings stood for the first five books of the Bible, known to Christians as "The Law of Moses." It was a reminder of man's fall from grace due to sin and the fact that a Saviour would come, offering salvation and a path back to God.

Six geese a-laying was a symbol of new life and referred to the six days of creation. Seven swans a-swimming related to the gifts of the Holy Spirit to the church in Romans 12:6-8; namely Prophecy, Service, Teaching, Encouragement, Giving, Leadership and Mercy.

The eight maids a-milking linked with the Beatitudes in Matthew 5:3-10 where we read: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, those who mourn, the meek, those who hunger for righteousness, the merciful, the pure in heart, the peacemakers and those persecuted because of righteousness."

Nine ladies dancing represents nine varieties of the fruit of the Spirit: "...The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control." (Galatians 5:22-23).

To be concluded next week

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MARK Blunden (left) with Paul Kinvig

A "BUDDY Breakfast" has spearheaded a recruitment drive by Weymouth and Portland Chamber of Commerce.

The event at the Rendezvous attracted nearly 60 people to encourage even more to join the existing membership of 140 people.

President Mark Blunden said: "I think the reason why people are joining us is that we have offered good value networking at a time when business has been less than buoyant.

"Business is on the up now

and we have welcomed a number of individual traders who are benefitting from meeting a large number of colleagues at our meetings. Our membership in the chamber ranges from one man bands to national companies such as Sainsbury's."

Guests at the breakfast also heard from speaker, business coach Paul Kinvig, who talked on: "Business would be Great if it wasn't for the Customers".

He focused on customer service and how to improve it and said: "That service is not what

you do. It is who you are.

"It is talking about being genuinely interested in people, it is about conversational language and seeing customers not as an intrusion into what you have to do that day.

"I think town chambers such as WPCC have seen a resurgence in membership and achievement.

"Over the past two years they have realised that focusing on their members' needs, how to do business and supporting local organisations is the key."

## Bus information leaves passengers 'mystified'

MYSTIFIED bus passengers have been querying why transport screens at the King's Statue bus stop area in Weymouth have so little real time information.

Bus users say they are delighted with the amount of information on screens at other sites such as the council offices on North Quay and at Weymouth Railway Station, but add they are "perplexed" why such informative screens are not used at the busier King's Statue area.

One passenger said: "The vast majority of bus services pass through the King's Statue area - First buses, Wilts & Dorset, Damory, some South West Coaches, National Coaches and Park & Ride - yet it is most difficult to get any sort of overview to when to expect what and when."

"Some seafront 'K' shelters do have very limited individual information, but boards as impressive as those at North Quay and the train station are very much missing from the King's Statue hub."

"As a frequent bus traveller I seek as much up-to-date information as possible, it being important for me and others to be aware of bus time departures."

County traffic control manager Matthew Williams explained that, far from lacking information, those at the King's Statue actually contained more information.

He added: "We have a number of display screens for bus information across the borough. They each show the same information but in a slightly different way."

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# Pets at Christmas



## Keep your pets safe this Christmas

### Food

- Lots of 'human' food is bad for pets so never be tempted to share your Christmas dinner with them. Treat your pets by giving them pet specific treats and maybe a new toy.
- Never feed your pets poultry carcasses as the bones may split once swallowed.
- Keep your pets away from things we would consider treats - chocolate and grapes (and also raisins and sultanas) can be poisonous as can onions and garlic. They will be more than happy with their own treats.



### Trees and Plants

- Real Christmas trees are mildly toxic to some animals and the oils can be an irritant so artificial trees could be the best choice. Be aware these can still harm your pets if they like to chew, though. Consider buying a smaller tree and raising it off the floor.
- We all think about trees and decorations being spiky for children but they can be a hazard for pets too. Needles may get stuck in claws and throats and decorations may be very tempting to chew and then shatter, causing more hazards.
- Cords and lights may cause a chewing and tangling hazard for pets.
- Always make sure you shut your pets away from trees (artificial and real) and decorations whilst you are out of the house.
- Mistletoe and Holly are both poisonous and should be kept out of the way of all pets (and children!)

### Holidays

- If you are going away for any length of time then don't leave pets home alone. Find catteries and kennels in your area, ask a neighbour to drop in or take your pets with you.
- If you take your pets with you then make sure you have enough food and water for the journey and schedule plenty of breaks.



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Be sure to come to Lynden Way this Saturday, December 14th, as there will be



a special nativity scene with real life donkeys! The scene will be set up in the entrance to Lynden Way with donations being collected on behalf of Brooke Animal Hospital and PDSA.

Once Christmas is over and our pets have indulged as much as

ourselves, why not make sure your dog isn't over weight by weighing them on the dog scales at Pets 'N' Pics. The next programme will be starting at the end of January where you can weigh your dog for FREE on a regular basis and receive FREE advice on how to keep your dog healthy and lose weight if required.

Pets 'N' Pics can now be found on Facebook and are in the process of setting up a Twitter account as well. For any enquiries feel free to pop in, or give them a call on 01308 862326.

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# Weymouth Matters

## A personal View by HARRY WALTON

### Christmas can be a confusing time

ONLY a fortnight to go until Christmas Day and the perfume counters are taking a beating.

Beautifully coiffed staff are having to gently cope with burly blokes sheepishly asking for Canal No 5 and Door.

I overheard one man saying: "Have you got any of that Esther Louder? You know, the really smelly one?"

Gently translating their pronunciation doesn't help much because the buyer is then suspicious he's being sold something he hadn't come in for. It's all very confusing

for us men.

Fortunately a few simple mistakes on my part have meant that for many years now I've been banned from ever buying my wife perfume again. I still don't believe that I did buy her Brasso but surely it's the thought that counts.

I can't reveal what I have bought her this year other than that my choices seem to get smaller and smaller each Christmas as jewellery and clothes have now also been added to the banning order. (Surely I'm safe this year? She must like those Botox bath salts.)

PLEASE, please give generously and don't just spurn an honest attempt to help us all.

I fully accept that it is highly unusual to see senior officers selling matches on street corners to try and raise a bit of ready cash for the council, but they are very good matches.

Not only are they sold in a box made entirely from recycled residents' complaint letters but the match wood comes from trees cut down in our parks and gardens as part of maintenance savings.

As for the firey mix at the end of the match? Well that would appear to have come from hot potato suggestions on how to bridge a £900,000 gap in the council's budget for 2014-2015.

Higher crematorium fees is just one fingertip the council is consid-

ering as it tries to hang on to a financial cliff edge without dropping us all into the abyss.

And make no mistake about it. Recent grim debates in a variety of council meetings have shown just how serious things now are with several fierce exchanges being levelled at opponents of cuts.

They were warned to face reality and decide intelligently on a way forward for trimming some services and dispensing with others or risk an inaction which, as one councillor warned, could see measures forced on us such as rubbish collected not every week or fortnight but every six weeks to save money.

No one wants that, but equally no one wants to see council tax charges soar, parks and gardens concreted over and Weymouth and Portland become a haunt of second home fat

cats because the rest of us can't afford to live here any more.

We've gone through all those elections to have councillors – two thirds of residents didn't bother to vote – and now it is time for them to thrash out a solution which is, after all, partly what we are paying them for.

All will become clear...or not, as the case may be, by February when a full council meeting will pull together budget saving strands to try and not just paper over the cracks for another year but produce some cohesive future policy to 2020.

So make debate suggestions, make the effort and help make a difference as I am doing.

Two boxes of matches please. No! Not the £1 de-luxe ones, the twenty pence economy matches. I'm not made of money you know!

### Merry Christmas!

IF anyone is short of a few Christmas present ideas then I suggest that a dictionary may be of great use to more than one person, group or organisation in Weymouth and Portland.

Pubs, for instance, could benefit from one to illuminate their spelling on food blackboards where "Christmas Turkey with all the trimmings" is on offer.

And reversing the mistake, how about "Get your festive holley here" not to mention an extremely poor example to children that "Santa and his reindeer" will be here soon.

And as for Father Christmas, well you can take your pick from where he will be appearing -- "in his grotto" was quite a good attempt – while attempts to describe other seasonal events such as Christmas "barzar", "bazare" and "bezar" are, quite frankly, bizarre!

Church events are all too often in need of a Savoir to resurrect them from "carole services", "Handel's Massiah" and that most important of all church services, "Midnight Mass".

And don't even get me started on "fair", "fayre", "fairy lights", "the Christmas fayre", "fairy cakes" and "a partridge in a pair tree". Presumably there were two of them!

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| Bhuna prawn on homemade bread - mild      |       | Marinated in yoghurt with garlic and fresh  |       |
| King Prawn Butterfly                      | £4.75 | green chilli                                |       |
| Deep fried and covered in breadcrumb      |       | Tandoori Grill                              | £4.25 |
| Sheek Kebab                               | £3.45 | Onion bhajee, chicken tikka, lamb tikka and |       |
| Minced lamb skewered and cooked in        |       | sheek kebab                                 |       |
| Shami Kebab                               | £3.45 | Chicken Tikka Roll                          | £3.95 |
| Minced lamb deep fried                    |       | Chicken tikka with nan and green salad      |       |
| Nargis Kebab                              | £3.50 | Spring Roll Chicken                         | £2.95 |
| Minced lamb deep fried with boiled egg    |       | Chopped Chicken Tikka with red onions and   |       |
| Somosa                                    | £2.50 | fresh coriander rolled in pastry            |       |
| Meat or vegetable                         |       | Kebab Roll                                  | £3.95 |
| Lamb Tikka                                | £3.50 | Sheek kebab, nan bread and green salad      |       |
| Chicken Tikka                             | £3.25 | Onion Bhajee                                | £2.40 |
| Chicken Chat                              | £3.25 | Garlic Mushroom                             | £2.95 |
| Sliced chicken cooked in lemon juice with |       | Mushroom stuffed with garlic in butter      |       |
| chat mossa                                |       |   |       |

### MAIN DISHES

#### Tandoori Specialities

|   |                    |                         |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------|
|   |                    | Served with green salad |
| Tandoori Chicken  | Half ~ on the bone | £5.95                   |
| Tandoori Garlic Chilli Chicken  |                    | £6.95                   |
| Marinated in yoghurt with garlic and fresh green chilli, on the bone                |                    |                         |
| Chicken Tikka   | £6.25              |                         |
| Lamb Tikka  | £6.95              |                         |
| Tandoori King Prawn   | £10.50             |                         |
| Tandoori Mix Grill  | £9.25              |                         |
| Tandoori chicken, chicken tikka, lamb tikka, sheek Kebab                            |                    |                         |
| Chicken Shashlick   | £7.25              |                         |
| Marinated chicken, cooked in a tandoori oven with green peppers, onion and tomatoes |                    |                         |

#### Balti Dishes

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Basic Curry           | Medium hot  |
| Korma (N)             | Very very mild with coconut, sultanas, fresh cream and ground almonds   |
| Madras                | Fairly hot with lemon juice   |
| Vindaloo              | Very hot dish   |
| Dopiaza               | Medium hot dish with onion and green peppers  |
| Bhuna                 | Medium hot with finely chopped onions and tomatoes  |
| Rogan Josh            | Medium hot with finely chopped onions and tomatoes with yoghurt sauce   |
| Malaya or Kashmiri    | Medium to mild - Malaya with pineapple<br>Kashmiri with banana  |
| Pathia                | Hot sweet sour with onions garlic tomatoes lemon juice and fresh coriander  |
| Dansak                | Hot sweet and sour with lentils   |
| Locknu (N) <b>NEW</b> | Very mild dish, cooked with coconut, almond, fresh cream and sultanas with mushroom   |
| Pindy <b>NEW</b>      | A fairly hot dish with a thick sauce and a boiled egg   |
| Sathkhora <b>NEW</b>  | This unique dish is cooked with a thick medium sauce with a very different kind of Indian lemon which gives a very unique kind of flavour |
| Mr Naga <b>NEW</b>    | A hot dish cooked with onions, tomatoes, fresh coriander and fenugreek. With naga chilli pickle, hot but very tasty                       |

#### Chef's Specialities

Rice not included

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| Shahi Akbari Chicken  | £6.95 |
| Barbecued diced chicken cooked with delicious exotic sweet and sour sauce   |       |
| Chicken Rongbاز (N)   | £7.50 |
| Chicken, onions, tomatoes and green peppers cooked in tandoori oven first, then cooked in mossa   |       |
| Chana Chicken   | £6.95 |
| Chicken and chick peas cooked with onions, tomatoes, green peppers with medium spices   |       |
| Achari Chicken  | £6.95 |
| Achari Lamb   | £7.50 |
| Barbecued chicken or lamb cooked with onions, tomatoes and green peppers with a touch of chilli pickle, garlic and ginger   |       |
| Raja Mossa (N)  | £7.95 |
| Chicken tikka and minced meat cooked in yoghurt, fresh cream with almonds, sultanas and coconut, very mild  |       |
| Chicken Fallguni  | £7.25 |
| Lamb Fallguni   | £7.50 |
| Chicken tikka or lamb tikka cooked with a combination of spices which gives a sweet, hot and sour taste with chopped onions, tomatoes, coriander, lentils and yoghurt sauce |       |
| Chicken Poonir  | £6.95 |
| Lamb Poonir   | £7.50 |
| Chicken tikka or lamb tikka cooked in a medium to hot sauce with onions, green pepper and tomatoes with cheese  |       |

#### Biryani

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|---|-------|
| Biryani dishes cooked with basmati rice in spices with sultanas, almond and served with a vegetable curry |       |
| Chicken (N)   | £7.50 |
| Lamb (N)  | £7.95 |
| Chicken Tikka (N)   | £8.25 |
| Lamb Tikka (N)  | £8.95 |
| Prawn (N)   | £7.50 |
| King Prawn (N)  | £9.50 |
| Vegetable (N)   | £6.95 |
| House Special (N)   | £9.50 |
| Chicken and King Prawn  |       |
| Mixed Biryani (N)   | £8.95 |
| Chicken Tikka, Lamb Tikka and Prawn   |       |

### King Balti Exclusive Dishes

These dishes are created by our own chef to give our customer a choice of different taste and flavour which we highly recommend

|  |       |
|--|-------|
| Chicken Tikka Tokmishi   | £7.75 |
| Lamb Tikka Tokmishi  | £7.95 |
| A sweet and sour dish cooked in a tamarind based mild sauce with fresh cream and bits of onion and cucumber. Very tasty and mild                                       |       |
| Chicken Tikka Zaalmishi  | £7.75 |
| Lamb Tikka Zaalmishi   | £7.95 |
| This authentic dish is cooked with chopped onions, tomatoes and sweet chilli sauce to give a hot but sweet taste   |       |
| Mixed Special  | £7.95 |
| A medium to hot dish cooked with chicken tikka, lamb tikka and prawn with onions, fresh tomatoes, fresh coriander, herbs, sweet chilli sauce and fenugreek             |       |
| Raj Special  | £8.95 |
| A combination of chicken tikka, lamb tikka and king prawn cooked in a medium sauce with cubes of onion, mixed peppers, yoghurt, fenugreek and fresh coriander          |       |
| House Special Curry  | £8.95 |
| A combination of chicken and king prawn cooked in a bhuna sauce with a boiled egg  |       |
| Mishti Badam (N)   | £7.95 |
| Tender breast of grilled chicken in a rich creamy almond based sauce. Full of flavour with roasted peanuts, a touch of honey and mango pulp. Recommended for beginners |       |

### Traditional Curry Dishes

Rice is not included

|                       |   |
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The above dishes may be ordered as:

|               |       |            |       |
|---------------|-------|------------|-------|
| Chicken       | £5.20 | Lamb Tikka | £6.50 |
| Meat          | £5.95 | King Prawn | £8.95 |
| Prawn         | £5.20 | Vegetables | £4.95 |
| Chicken Tikka | £5.95 |            |       |

### All-Time Favourites

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Tikka Mossala (N)  | Ever popular, mild creamy yoghurt base sauce  |
| Tikka Pasanda (N)  | Mild almond based sauce   |
| Tikka Khorai       | Chunky peppers and onion finely mixed with ginger and herbs, fresh tomatoes and coriander |
| Tikka Garlic Chill | A spicy garlic flavoured dish with fresh herbs, coriander and green chilli                |
| Tikka Jalfrezi     | A hot spicy dish with ginger, onions, fresh tomatoes and herbs                            |
| Tikka Sagwala      | Cooked with fresh spinach, garlic and coriander   |
| Tikka Makoni       | A mild creamy dish cooked with butter, fresh cream and lots of garlic                     |

The above dishes may be ordered as:

|               |       |            |       |
|---------------|-------|------------|-------|
| Chicken Tikka | £6.95 | King Prawn | £9.95 |
| Lamb Tikka    | £7.50 | Vegetables | £5.25 |

### Vegetable Side Dishes

|                        |       |                                 |       |
|------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|-------|
| Vegetable Curry        | £2.40 | Dall Sambhar                    | £2.40 |
| Vegetable Bhajee       | £2.40 | Lentils, spinach and vegetables |       |
| Bombay Potatoes        | £2.40 | Sag Bhajee                      | £2.40 |
| Aloo Ghoobi            | £2.40 | Aubergine Bhajee                | £2.40 |
| Cauliflower and Potato | £2.40 | Mushroom Bhajee                 | £2.40 |
| Sag Aloo               | £2.40 | Chana Bhajee                    | £2.40 |
| Spinach and Potato     | £2.40 | Tarka Dall Lentils              | £2.40 |
| Cauliflower Bhajee     | £2.40 | Sag Ponir                       | £2.40 |
| Bendi Bhajee           | £2.40 | Aloo Ponir                      | £2.40 |

### Rice

|                      |       |                    |       |
|----------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|
| Boiled Rice          | £1.95 | Special Fried Rice | £2.45 |
| Pilau Rice           | £2.25 | Onion Fried Rice   | £2.45 |
| Vegetable Fried Rice | £2.45 | Lemon Rice         | £2.45 |
| Mushroom Fried Rice  | £2.45 | Coconut Rice       | £2.45 |
| Egg Fried Rice       | £2.45 | Chilli Rice        | £2.45 |
| Keema Rice           | £2.45 |                    |       |

### Indian Bread

|                     |       |                |       |
|---------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Plain Naan          | £1.75 | Chilli Naan    | £2.20 |
| Tikka Naan          | £2.10 | Stuffed Naan   | £2.10 |
| Garlic Naan         | £2.10 | Chapati        | £0.80 |
| Keema Naan          | £2.10 | Parata         | £1.75 |
| Peshwari Naan (N)   | £2.10 | Stuffed Parata | £2.25 |
| Cheese & Onion Naan | £2.20 |                |       |

### Extras

|                               |                |  |                |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--|----------------|
| Pappadum Plain or spicy Chips | £0.60<br>£1.75 | Raitha Cucumber or Onion Chutney or Pickle | £1.25<br>£0.50 |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--|----------------|

### Sauces

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| Red Sauce                                       | £0.50 |
| Any Traditional Curry Sauce                     | £2.40 |
| Eg. Madras, Vindaloo, Bhuna, Pathla, Dansak etc |       |
| Any All-Time Favourites Sauce                   | £2.95 |
| Eg. Mossala, Pasanda, Makoni etc                |       |

### English Dishes

|  |       |
|--|-------|
| Omelette and Chips                                   | £6.50 |
| Batter Chicken and Chips                             | £7.25 |
| Deep fried chicken covered in batter and breadcrumbs |       |

### Meal A for One

#### TANDOOR MIXED Starters

Tandoori Chicken, Lamb Tikka, Chicken Tikka, Sheek Kebab, Nan and Green Salad with Pappadum

**Main Course:** Chicken or Lamb Bhuna

**Side Dish:** Vegetable Curry, Pilau Rice and Sweet (fruit)

### Set Meal for Two

#### Starters

2 Pappadums, Mint

Sauce, Onion Salad

Any two Traditional

Curry Dishes

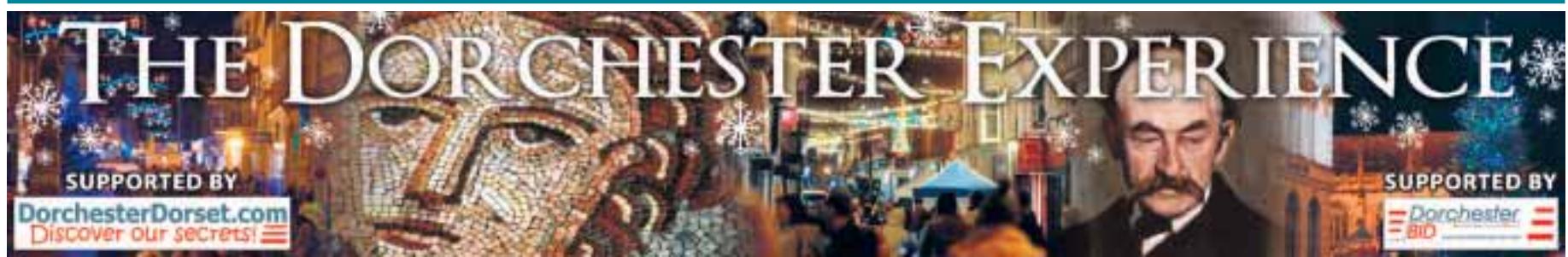
1 Bombay Potato, 2 Pilau Rice and 1 Naan

Choice One: Plain Chicken or Lamb or Prawn

Choice Two: Tikka Chicken or Tikka Lamb

Choice Three: King Prawn

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## DORCHESTER TOWN CENTRE ONCE AGAIN HAS A TRADITIONAL BUTCHER

STUART Jury opened County Town Butchers in the Hardy Arcade on Saturday and was delighted by the response.

"So many people have said they are pleased to see a traditional butcher back in the town centre. It's very encouraging," he said.

With 35 years' experience in the trade Stuart has worked for a number of local businesses including Case and



Sons in Shaftesbury, Denhay Farms and S. J Norman of Bridport.

He started at the age of 15 in Winterbourne Abbas with a wholesale butchery firm which was in the village at the time.

"I come from a traditional butchery background and hope to offer good service and find the time to have a chat, which is what people often want," said Mr Jury.

His affiliations with Norman's will continue with the Bridport company supplying much of his meat, together with other local companies. His aim is to offer as much local produce as possible and will prepare his own cuts and make his own sausages.

Stuart did look at other premises, including a former town centre butchers, before deciding on the Hardy Arcade

premises.

He and other family members, including his father in law, Ray Whitfield, worked hard, and long hours, to get the building ready after taking over the lease on November 13th.

Ray, also with a butchery background, will be helping with the business when needed.

"I'm hoping the location is a good one; it's under cover and very close to the town centre's main car park making it very convenient to park and shop here," said Stuart.

Opening in time for Christmas he is able to offer a range of traditional meats including boned and rolled turkey breast as well as quality stuffings and pickles.

County Town Butchers will initially be open six days a week.



▲ Stuart Jury shows off his cutting skills learnt after 35 years in the business.

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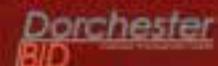
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The Dorchester shop has probably the largest selection of Playmobil, Sylvanian Families, Schleich and Papo in the area, with the new Playmobil Dinosaurs, Western and Hotel ranges on display.

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In October 1963, Mr and Mrs Burgess decided to set up their own business in the town. He paid rent of just £5 2s6d a fortnight for the shop in Maud Road. In 1965 the business moved to South Street, then to Tudor arcade in 1971, and finally to its current location in Durngate street in 1984.

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■ **MAYOR** Stella Jones switches on the tree lights at Joseph Weld Hospice



■ **THE** Encore Singers and the Moreton Church Choir led the singing

# Remembering loved ones at Christmas

by Trevor Bevins

HUNDREDS attended the annual Light Up a Life ceremony at Dorchester's Joseph Weld Hospice.

The poignant service, with carols, offered families and friends the chance to remember a loved one.

Mayor Stella Jones switched on the lights of the large tree, provided by staff and students of Kingston Maurward College and lit by Scottish and Southern Electric.

Music for the evening was provided by the Weymouth Concert Brass with members of the Encore Singers and the Moreton Church Choir leading the singing.

Weldmar Hospicecare Trust chairman Dr Geoffrey Guy welcomed guests to the popular event, commenting that the weather had been kinder than in some previous years. Chaplain to the Trust, the Reverend Sally Bedborough led the prayers of dedication; of

reflection and the blessing.

A 2013 Book of Remembrance, which people who have suffered a loss are invited to sign, will be prepared in the New Year and will be available in the Chapels at the Joseph Weld Hospice in Dorchester and at Trimar Hospice in Weymouth.



■ **SOME** of the hundreds of local people who attended the Light Up a Life ceremony



■ **MAYOR** Stella Jones watched by hospice trust chairman Dr Geoffrey Guy switches on the tree lights



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# How should future funding be spent?

DORSET County Council is asking for ideas on how it could support some of the county's 4,000 community and voluntary organisations.

The council is planning ahead for how it should invest in such organisations from April 2015, and is asking for ideas on how the money in would best be targeted.

Help for community

groups is currently made available through a small grants fund, called the Dorset County Council Fund, which is open to voluntary and community organisations.

A grant could be used to expand a volunteer base, develop staff skills and buy equipment or advice that will help organisations prosper.

Spencer Flower, Leader

of Dorset County Council said: "Funding for local services is falling, putting increased pressure on community organisations to carry out all kinds of useful work.

"We hope to ensure that the money we invest in voluntary projects across the county will help them to meet this pressure and to thrive."

Chris Scally, joint com-

missioning manager for the county council said: "We know that small grants carefully targeted can make a substantial difference. However, with demand for grant funding outstripping supply, we need to know what the priorities are. We are asking for users of voluntary sector organisations and organisations themselves to give

us their views on how they think the county council should invest in 2015.

"We will use the information to build a small grants fund and in the meantime, our existing fund will be available in 2014 with two rounds of funding in January and August."

Organisations have until January 6th, 2014 to

submit their views by filling in a brief online survey at [www.dorsetforyou.com/community-fundingsurvey](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/community-fundingsurvey).

Since 2011 the council has provided £740,000 in support of 174 community projects around the county, ranging from sports clubs, village halls and transport clubs through to lunch clubs and carers' groups.

## Apprenticeship advice

A CAMPAIGN to promote apprenticeships and help young people at risk of entering a job without training is being launched at the Thomas Hardy School in Dorchester.

Dorset County Council and Ansbury, a local provider of information, advice and guidance for young people, are working together to help Thomas Hardy and four other schools across the county run apprenticeship clubs for their students.

The aim of the clubs is for young people and parents to find out more about employment combined with training.

Students will be offered the chance to practice completing applications, improve their interview and presentation skills, and meet local employers and apprentices.

In June 2013, 9.4 per cent of 16-18-year-olds living in Dorset were in a job without accredited training.

Councillor Toni Coombs, Cabinet member for education at Dorset County Council, said: "It's so important that young people continue to learn while they work. Qualifications are the key to climbing the ladder, finding other employment or going onto study at college or university. This is why apprenticeships offer something different and are perfect for young people who want to go straight into work. You can learn while you earn a wage, at a pace that is best suited to you."

Between January and March next year, Ansbury will be running apprenticeship clubs at five schools for up to 20 year 11 students.

Martin Vowles, business development director at Ansbury, said: "These clubs will allow students to find out about being an apprentice and get help with applications.

"There are some really great apprenticeship opportunities across our region and we want to make sure parents and pupils know what's available so that we can support them and our local employers."

For more information about apprenticeships, go to [www.apprenticeships.org.uk](http://www.apprenticeships.org.uk).

## Recognising the valuable work of teaching assistants

A REGIONAL competition has been launched by the union, Unison, to highlight the important role played by teaching assistants.

Parents, students and teachers will be able to nominate

### Daily crime updates on Twitter

IN the run up to Christmas, Dorset Police will be giving daily details of car crime in the county.

Twitter users can find it at - #dp\_vehiclecrime.

Dorset Police say they are using the social media to remind motorists to be vigilant and not to become a target for thieves.

Police say the aim of the campaign is to highlight to the public that although there has been a fall in vehicle crime, thefts from motor vehicles is still a frequent occurrence. A large number of crimes involve cars being left insecure and belongings being left in view.

Detective Chief Inspector Paul Powley, of Dorset Police, said: "With this campaign we hope to give the residents of Dorset a proactive insight into these types of incidents and encourage the public to be more aware of crime prevention."

nate candidates.

UNISON is campaigning for teaching assistants to be rewarded through a proper career structure and better pay, terms and conditions. The union says those fulfilling the role have a complex mix of TA responsibilities with an overlap between pastoral, administrative and teaching duties.

Entrants will have to produce a piece of work on the theme of - "What my Teaching Assistant means to me".

Unison will award prizes to the value of £50 to the pupil who has produced the overall best entry in each of following four categories: Reception, Years 1 and 2; Years 3-6; Years 7 and 8 and Years 9 and 10.

In addition, there will be a Judge's Special Award to the same value awarded to one entry, which in the Judges' opinion deserves special recognition. This award will be presented by Lord Knight of Weymouth.

UNISON will also donate equipment up to the value of £200 to the school of all these five winning pupils.

Lord Knight said: "For a long time teaching assistants have been freeing up teachers to use their time and professionalism more effectively in the classroom, but so many have become more than this. The amazing work

TAs do with individuals with special needs, with specialist knowledge for groups of children, and supporting whole families deserves wider recognition. Unison have always been a great representative and champion of teaching assistants and I am delighted they have asked me to be involved in these awards."

Mike Cracknell, UNISON Regional Officer, said: "Teaching assistants are a class act and schools could not run without them. Children and young people trust their teaching assistants and often turn to them when they are struggling at school with their learning or social wellbeing.

"By working with an individuals or small groups, a teaching assistant can gain the confidence of a child and help them to achieve their full potential. That is a really special skill and we are celebrating that today."

A UNISON survey earlier this year that showed 95 per cent of head teachers believed TAs added value to schools.

They said that a reduction in the number of teaching assistants would impact on children with special education and health needs, on teachers, and the running of schools.

## New record shop opens in Beaminster

IF PROOF were needed that Beaminster is THE up and coming place to visit for its already interesting and varied range of shops and retailers, then the advent of 'Phil's Place', the new shop in Lynden Way (opposite the Square), is surely confirmation that this is very much the case right now.

Phil's Place offers a quirky mix of pre-owned (ie second hand to you and me) vinyl albums and singles (those under a certain age please go and ask your mum or dad to explain), plus a range of second hand (OK pre-owned then!) books covering music, crafts, art, travel, and children's books.

Visitors to the shop will also find a window full of tantalising and colourful high quality fused-glass giftware and seasonal decorations by glass-artist Gillian Hulse, whose book "Inspirations In Kiln-Formed Glass" is one of publisher A&C Black's best sellers on the subject.

Completing the shop's unique blend of products is a display of Phil's bespoke letter-cutting designs, carved lovingly in varieties of limestone or blue lias stone. Phil's hand-chiselled 'Words In Stone' range is intended as a commission-based service to those looking for something unique and special for their home, garden, wedding gift or special commemoration.

As a new venture for former DJ, teacher and potter Phil Brown, 'Phil's Place' is the realisation of a long-held dream to own and run a record shop, as buying and listening to music of all kinds has been a life-long passion for him since even his pre-teen years.

So, when you roll up to the door, be prepared to find someone not only willing to sell you a record or two, but will also happily engage in informed chat about anyone who's been anyone in rock, pop, jazz, folk, reggae, blues, and, at a pinch, classical music, and all genres in between!

Phil is keen to let you know that he sells AND buys LP's, singles, EP's and possibly even 7's, provided of course that are broadly in line with his own (broad) tastes in music. He is also currently on the look-out for record players or gramophones (preferably in working condition) from the 1940's to the 1980's.

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# A hideous cycle which we can break

When the world education league tables were published last week, much fuss was made of the fact the UK has slipped to 26 on the chart. No fuss whatsoever was made of Africa's position; little wonder, as it hovers somewhere around minus infinity.

In Sub-Saharan Africa - which is that area of the continent to the south of the Sahara Desert, i.e. most of it - there are about 80 million children of school age. Of these children, UNESCO estimates that at least 46 million have never stepped inside a classroom.

And of those who are more fortunate to attend school, most of them will be pulled out of it by the time that they are 11 or 12, because of water.

If you live in a country where there is no natural clean water, or if you live in a country where a natural disaster has destroyed the clean water supply, your choice is stark and simple - fetch clean water or don't live at all.

Asha, whose name ironically means "life", is 13 years old and lives in Burkina Faso, near Datra. A keen, naturally-intelligent child, she did well in primary school at rudimentary reading and wanted to become a doctor. But, like four out of every 10 children of the area, mainly the girls, she did not complete primary school because once she was strong enough she was sent to carry clean water.

Like millions of women and children across Africa and Asia, every day Asha walks for three to four hours to fetch clean water in a large plastic petrol container. Sometimes, when the nearest water source dries up, she walks for eight hours to and from the next closest one.

It's hard going; the average temperature of Sub-Saharan Africa is between 20c and 35c, the tracks are dry,

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By Geoff Baker

dusty, peppered with stones, it is easy to slip from exhaustion, graze and cut her knees, and spill her precious load, which means walking all the way back to the safe well again.

The weight of the water she carries in the deep heat for hours every day, day after day, is 20 kilos, which is about the same weight as the average airline permits the likes of us to take as baggage allowance for our holidays.

Imagine carrying your holiday suitcase for four hours in 30c heat. Then imagine having to do it again tomorrow, and the day after that, and every day after that for most of the rest of your life - this is Asha's future.

Asha will never get back to school, she will never learn to read properly, she will never get to become a doctor. Like 90 per cent of the women of Sub-Saharan Africa, she will remain semi-literate or illiterate until the day she dies.

In Africa alone, the total time spent by people walking for clean water each year is 40 billion hours. What level of learning could be achieved each year in 40 bil-

lion hours?

But because they cannot learn, because the need to fetch clean water is greater than the need to read and write, they cannot educate themselves. And because they cannot be educated, they cannot develop agriculture and engineering and all of the rest of the modern means of living without having to walk half a day with the crippling weight of a suitcase on your back.

It is a hideous cycle. But it is a cycle that we can break.

As simply a lack of clean water is a major cause of lack of education and development, we can help in a basic, cheap and ingenious way - with a basic piece of kit called the Water Survival Box.

The Water Survival Box has been developed by the Rotary Club of Chelwood Bridge, Midsomer Norton, to keep alive people who have been left with nothing by natural disasters like hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, typhoons and drought. Through their charity World Water Works (<http://worldwaterworks.org>) this basic little box has helped to keep alive thousands of families in Sri Lanka, Chile, Pakistan, Chad, Mali, Kenya, Haiti, the Philippines and many other places of desperate emergency need.

This plastic box is crammed with all that you need to stay alive after you have lost everything - cooking and eating utensils, basic means of shelter and other essential kit - but most importantly a water-purification pump that will make clean water from dirty water and provide a family of four with clean water every day for a year.

Each box costs £150 to kit out and to send to those in need. Each box contains the magic pump which means for many that there is no need to walk to the well.

Devon, Dorset & Somerset Newspapers Limited, the publishers of this newspaper, have committed to a

two-year charity campaign in association with our friends at the World Water Works campaign because we believe just that - water works. It works by keeping alive the thousands of families left destitute by Typhoon Haiyan, it worked by sustaining the victims of the Haiti earthquake and it will work by providing an alternative for many for walk for water.

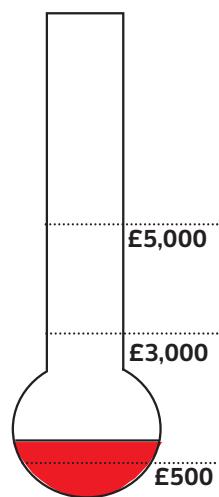
There is much to do, but with your help through fundraising and donations for World Water Works we can do a lot. We can't educate a continent overnight but with a little help for our friends we can make a start to release women and children from water slavery. Please help.

♦ **In a bid to raise £10,000 over two years for Water Survival Box, we are encouraging our readers and local organisations in East Devon, South Somerset and West Dorset, where we distribute in excess of 40,000 papers every week, to organise an event for Water Survival Box.**

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## THROWING A SPANNER IN THE WORKS

Mark Thomas commits  
100 Acts of Minor Dissent

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## THE GIGS

**Friday 13th December**

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
Honey Trap Disco featuring  
Boy George Doors 9.30pm.  
£15+bf adv/ £17 door

**Saturday 14th December**

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
Mojo

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
One Night Stand 9pm

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
Christmas Party with  
The Producers 8pm. £10/£9.

**Sunday 15th December**

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
Nina Garcia 4-6pm

Dorchester Arts Centre, DORCHESTER  
Miranda Sykes & Rex Preston  
Doors 7.30pm. £12/£10

**Wednesday 18th December**

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
Medieval Christmas 11am  
£10/£8

**Saturday 21st December**

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
The Cadence 9.30pm

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
Earl Jackson: A Rock'n'roll  
dance party 8.30pm

£10 adv/ £12 door.

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
Hi Life Club Night: Voodoo  
Special with Papa Le Gal  
Doors 9.30pm. £5 on the door.

**Sunday 22nd December**

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
Howling Duo 4-6pm

**Tuesday 24th December**

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
Vinyl Monkeys 9.30pm

## A CHRISTMAS PARTY WITH THE PRODUCERS!

Celebrate Christmas at Bridport Arts Centre when  
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THE Producers really are something special, playing the freshest live blues. Dave Saunders and Harry Skinner formed the band in 1990. They went on to be one of the most popular blues outfit in the country at that time winning the 'Blues Band of the Year' award 4 times, releasing 7 CD albums one of which 'Ain't no Love in the World' was nominated for the 'Best UK Blues Album' award.

General Manager Dee Fen-

ton said "Get dressed in something sparkly and come down to our Christmas Party. We're hugely excited because The Producers are a band that you can really dance to. It's going to be a real upbeat, fun, party evening. Everyone is welcome!"

The Producers play at Bridport Arts Centre

on Saturday, December 14th, at 8pm. Tickets cost £10 (adults), £9 (members), and £3 (super), or £12 on door. Students £10.00 door only (proof required). To book call the box office on 01308 424204 or visit [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com)



THE PRODUCERS  
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## ASPECTS OF JOY

The James Lascelles Quartet in Powerstock

SINCE the launch of their latest album 'Aspects of Joy', the James Lascelles Quartet has been touring across the UK to showcase their works, with memorable concerts at venues such as Foyle's Jazz in the West End of London, and Mama Stone's in Exeter. Artsreach are pleased to be welcoming this exceptional group of musicians to Dorset for one special concert this winter.

With their uplifting mix of world music, folk, jazz and Anglo/Caribbean grooves, the Quartet comprises four highly skilled, open and seasoned professionals. Richard Bailey (Des'ree, Jeff Beck) is on drums and percussion, Kuma Harada (Van Morrison, Billy Ocean) on bass/guitar and Tim Herniman on sax and violin. James Lascelles leads the quartet on keys and percussion. Classically trained as a pianist and percussionist, globally taught and open to all styles, cultures and sounds, Lascelles was given his first lessons in improvisation by the late Sir John Tavener. Since then he has worked alongside Frank Zappa, Joan Armatrading and Steve Harley and Cockney Rebel

amongst others, and has composed, arranged, produced and performed for theatre, TV and film.

Join this outstanding quartet for a musical exploration around the world and back this winter.

The James Lascelles Quartet play at Powerstock Hut on Friday, December 13th from 7.30pm. For more details call 01308 485264 or visit [www.artsreach.co.uk](http://www.artsreach.co.uk)



THE JAMES LASCELLES QUARTET  
The Quartet perform in Powerstock this Friday.

## Dickens Christmas stories

LOCAL Charles Dickens expert Peter Buck is teaming up with Dorset Storyteller Jade Parsonage-Buck, to create a wonderfully Christmassy evening of stories from Dickens.

Performed in the charming setting of the Chapel in the Garden, Bridport, soak in the Christmas spirit and enjoy a complimentary cup of mulled cider during the interval. Part of all ticket sales goes to local charities.

Peter and Jade will be performing Dickens' stories of children, childhood... and Christmas ghosts. They will be telling some of the world famous author's best loved Christmas stories and introduce people to new material from 'The Great Man' presented as they were all originally intended: live.

Joined by local harpist, Jane Saunders, providing the sound of a traditional Christmas, relax and soak up the Christmas spirit (of Christmas Past, Present or Future?) in the wonderful surroundings of the East Street Chapel.

The Dickens storytelling takes place TONIGHT (Wednesday, December 11th) at The Chapel in the Garden, East Street, Bridport from 8pm. Tickets cost £10 on the door.

## 100 Acts of Minor Dissent



Mark Thomas

MARK Thomas is well versed in the art of creative mayhem and over the years his troublemaking has changed laws, cost companies millions and annoyed those who most deserved to be.

Now he returns to what he does best, mischief! Joyously bad behaviour with a purpose. After his award winning show *Bravo Figaro*, Mark sets himself the task of committing 100 Acts of Minor Dissent in the space of a year.

Mark catalogues everything from the smallest and silliest gesture to the grandest confrontations and the results are subversive, hilarious, mainly legal and occasionally inspiring.

Mark Thomas performs his new show at the Marine Theatre on Saturday, December 14th at 8pm. Tickets cost £15 (full) or £10 (concessions), and a Theatre-Friends discount is available. To book visit [www.marinetheatre.org.uk](http://www.marinetheatre.org.uk) or call the box office on 01297 442138

## Christmas Geology Event at Dorset County Museum



DORSET County Museum has a thriving Geology group meeting once a month for a varied programme of lectures and events. Anyone interested in joining the group is welcome to the Christmas event, Ignite!, which will take the form of four quick-fire lectures from well-known local geologists accompanied by seasonal food and drink.

Speakers on the night include Richard Edmonds, Sam Scriven, Doreen Smith and Giles Watts; the talks will cover topics from Fantastic Fossils to Shale Gas Extraction.

The talks start at 7pm TONIGHT (Wednesday, December 11), but doors are open from 6.30pm to allow time for mulled wine and mince pies. Everyone is welcome – this is a fantastic opportunity to find out more about the group in a welcoming and informal setting.

The event is free of charge but a donation of £3 is encouraged to cover costs. For further information please see [www.dorsetcountymuseum.org](http://www.dorsetcountymuseum.org) or telephone 01305 262735.

## Make friends with the Stars at the Electric Palace

THE Electric Palace will be offering 'Electric Friends' the opportunity to meet visit 80's icon Boy George this coming Friday before his DJ set at the Honey Trap Disco. 'Electric Friends' need simply to show their membership card to gain access to the upstairs bar where Boy George will greet members.

As part of the relaunch of their membership scheme, the Electric Palace has created a new bar called the 'Bob Hope Bar', where members will be invited to 'meet the stars' before or after a show. Comedians and bands love Bridport audiences because they receive a better, warmer and wittier reception than anywhere else! Last week Russell Howard was loath to leave the stage he was enjoying himself so much, testing new material on the friendly Bridport crowd.

As a completely independent, unfunded venue, the Electric Palace depend entirely upon audiences' continuing support for the venue's survival. The Electric Palace audience have become famous amongst comedians and bands that visit the venue. Times, however, are very difficult and the Electric Palace do now need support more than ever. Remarkably and almost uniquely, the Electric Palace has managed to survive without funding but will need to increase their 'Friends' membership to survive.



Boy George

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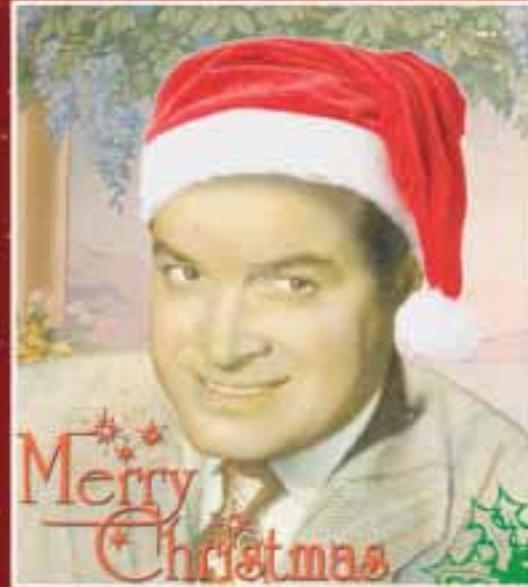
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The Admiral Hood is a great destination for New Years Eve if you are looking for a great evening out with a nice meal and live music in a friendly pub atmosphere. There's no fee to get in like there is in a lot of places on New Years Eve, and the live music comes from Colin Elswood who sings everything from the 60's up to the modern day. Food is available up until 8pm from the normal menu, but booking is essential.

The Christmas menu is proving very popular with a number of dates now fully booked. However, there is still space to enjoy the Christmas Carvery this Fri-



day and Saturday night, the 13th and 14th of December, as well as the following Friday, the 20th.

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Thursday nights throughout the year (except Boxing Day) are Pie Night! For just £6 you can have a freshly made pie or hotpot, and help yourself to vegetables and potatoes.

There is regular live music throughout the year, and there are already a couple of dates for your diary in 2014. The ever-popular Elvis will be back in the building in March and November, and on Saturday, February 8th the pub will play host to the Flat Land Boogie Band.

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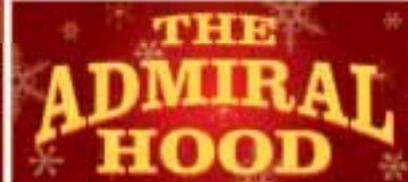
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**CHIDEOCK:** Cantamus Choir at Chideock Martyrs Church from 7pm. Tickets £8 on the door, or in advance by calling 01308 488348. For more details visit [www.cantamus-dorset.org](http://www.cantamus-dorset.org).  
**CHIDEOCK:** Christmas Whist at the village hall from 7.30pm. £3 admission.  
**FORDINGTON:** The Thursday Group in Dorchester will be holding a Christmas carol and mince pie afternoon at St Georges Church Hall, Fordington. The afternoon will start at 2.15pm. Entrance is £1 and includes tea. Everyone welcome.

**FRIDAY DECEMBER 13TH**  
**LYME REGIS:** St Michael's School Christmas Fayre 6-8pm at St Michael's School Kingsway. 50p admission, all proceeds towards fundraising for new playground equipment. We look forward to seeing you - we have Father Christmas, trade tables, refreshments and great raffle prizes.

**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Market at the Courtyard and Upstairs, The Town Mill, Lyme Regis DT7 3PU. Daily 10.30-4.30pm. Free admission.  
**WEYMOUTH:** Weymouth & Portland U3A Christmas Meeting. Open meeting with presentations by some of the Interest Groups. Punch and Christmas Cake will be served. 10am at St Aldhelm's Church Centre, Spa Road.

**FRIDAY DECEMBER 13TH - SUNDAY JANUARY 5TH**  
**LYME REGIS:** Town Mill Arts Guild Christmas Fair open 10am - 5pm. Come and choose your affordable gifts at the Town Mill, Lyme Regis, from a wide variety of original paintings, photography, prints, cards, glass, ceramics, sculpture, textiles and more. Late night opening on December 13th until 8pm and drinks and nibbles will be served. Closed Christmas Day!

**SATURDAY DECEMBER 14TH**  
**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**LODERS:** Cantamus Choir at Loders Parish Church from 7pm. Tickets £8 on the door. For more details visit [www.cantamus-dorset.org](http://www.cantamus-dorset.org).

**BRIDPORT:** Christmas Coffee Morning at Bridport Outdoor Bowls Club, Priory Lane, from 10am-12.30pm. **WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM:** Christmas Dinner with turkey or beef carvery plus all the trimmings, sweets, coffee etc at Whitchurch Canonicorum Village Hall. 7pm for 7.30pm start. Music to Two's Company, sit and listen or join in dancing. Tickets £12.50, children under 10 £8.00. Raffle, donation in aid of Cancer Research UK. Tickets from Sue 01297 489375 or Tina 01297 489523

**BRIDPORT:** Christmas Gift and Craft Fair at St Mary's Church, South Street from 9.30am-2.30pm, in aid of the Air Ambulance. Father Christmas visiting with free presents for kids from 11am-12.30pm. Free entry. 25+ stalls.

**SUNDAY DECEMBER 15TH**  
**LITTON CHENEY:** Bride Valley Fledglings Pre-School Fundraiser Christmas Bazaar 2-4pm at LATCH, village hall. Chocolate tombola, KIDS Craft and KIDS 'buy-a-gift' room, Face Painting, Raffle Prizes, Christmas Games, Mulled Wine, Mince Pies, Cakes and Refreshments and a special Thorner's School Glee Club performance, plus much more.

**MONDAY DECEMBER 16TH**  
**OSMINGTON:** Osmington Recorded Music Society - Jim Davis recalls the master of light music in "The Magic of Mantovani" - at Osmington Village Hall, Shortlake Lane, from 2.15pm. Plenty of car parking available. Further details from 01305 262121, or email: [heather.foster1@btconnect.com](mailto:heather.foster1@btconnect.com).  
**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Folk Dancing Club at 7.30-9.30 pm in the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club, with guest and club callers, recorded music and occasional live bands. No partner or previous experience required. Admission £2. Contact Jane on 01308 898 002 or Monty on 01308 423 442.

**TUESDAY DECEMBER 17TH**  
**CHIDEOCK:** Mince Pies and Christmas Flowers at St Giles Church from 10.30am-12noon. £2 for refreshments.

**BEAMINSTER:** Beaminster Horticultural Society provide the opportunity to watch, learn and join in the making of Christmas wreaths and sheaths in natural materials. All materials will be provided at a small charge. Public Hall Beaminster from 7.30 pm. Members free, non members £2 to include a glass of wine and mince pies.

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4.00 - 6.00pm GYMNASTICS  
6.00 - 6.45pm GROUP STUDIO CYCLING  
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**THURSDAY**  
6.30 - 7.30pm KETTLEEXERCISE

**FRIDAY**  
5.00 - 6.00pm SILKS AERIAL COURSE 11-16 YRS OLDS  
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**Friday, Dec 13<sup>th</sup> - Thursday, Dec 19<sup>th</sup>**  
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Daily: 13.00, 16.10, 19.55

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Daily: 19.40

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## Thursday Group's Carols and Mince Pie afternoon

THE Thursday Group in Dorchester will be holding a Christmas carol and mince pie afternoon on Thursday, December 12th at St Georges Church Hall, Fordington.

The afternoon will start at 2.15pm. Entrance is £1 and includes tea. Everyone welcome.

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## View 2 Diary Dates

### WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 18TH

**SEATON:** Jurassic Folk Christmas Party, all welcome. Free admission. At the Grove, from 7.45pm. For more details call 01297 20064 or visit [www.eastdevonfolk.org](http://www.eastdevonfolk.org)

**MONKTON WYLD:** Festive Local Lunch at Monkton Wyld Court. Informal grounds tour from 12.30pm, lunch served at 1pm. Join us for a delicious homemade festive meal made with fresh seasonal ingredients from our own walled kitchen garden and other local producers. Take a tour around the house and grounds. Only £7! Please book ahead: email [info@monktonwyldcourt.org](mailto:info@monktonwyldcourt.org), tel 01297 560 342."

**TYPE:** West Dorset Decorative & Fine Arts Society meeting. 'Wonder Workers and the Art of Illusion' a talk by Mr Bertie Pearce. From 2.30pm at Highlands End Leisure Centre. For more details call 01297 443615.

**BRIDPORT:** St. Gabriel's Strolling Players present A West Country Christmas at the W.I Hall in aid of Bridport Hospital League of Friends. It will be a light-hearted evening of music, poetry and prose written over the centuries by authors, familiar and not so familiar, with west country connections, and designed to get everyone into the spirit of Christmas. The show starts at 7pm and lasts approximately two hours. Tickets, at £5.50, are available from 01297 449658. Mulled cider and mince pies will be available in the interval.

### THURSDAY DECEMBER 19TH

**CHIDEOCK:** Christmas Bingo at the village hall from 7.30pm. £5 for book of 6 games.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 20TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club Christmas Party. At Hallet's Court from 7.30-10pm. Members to bring Christmas party food and drink.

### MONDAY DECEMBER 23RD

**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Bingo at Woodmead Halls, 8pm.

### TUESDAY DECEMBER 31ST

**KILMINGTON:** WesternSpirit Linedance New Year's Eve Disco at the village hall, Whitford Road. 7.30pm-12.30am. Pop/Country/Jazz and more. Quizzes and a few other surprises throughout the evening. Tickets on sale now £8 each! Bring and share buffet, BYO drinks. Non Line Dancers welcome. Tea and coffee available. For more details or to book call 07985 234149 or email [marina@westernspirit.co.uk](mailto:marina@westernspirit.co.uk)

### SATURDAY JANUARY 4TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Ceilidhs featuring Somerset band 'Jeroka' with Exeter's Ted Farmer calling at Church House (St Mary's) Hall, South Street, Bridport DT6 3NW. Soft drinks provided; bring a bottle, bring finger food snacks to share, bring a friend - bring two! - and come shake off the excesses of the festive season! Doors open 7.15 for 7.30 - 11.00pm dance. Tickets £8.50 on the door or £7.50 in advance from Bridport Music Shop, South Street and Jaxsons Delicatessen, West Street, or call organiser Monty on 01308 423442. See [www.bridportceilidhs.wordpress.com](http://www.bridportceilidhs.wordpress.com)

### MONDAY JANUARY 6TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Folk Dance Club at 7.30-9.30 pm in the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club, with guest and club callers, recorded music and occasional live bands. No partner or previous experience required. Admission £2. Contact Jane on 01308 898 002 or Monty on 01308 423 442.

### MONDAY JANUARY 13TH

**BRIDPORT:** Biondanza at Othona. 7.15 for 7.30pm. Monthly drop-in class (2nd and 4th Monday each month). Cost £7 (Concessions available - just ask) Free for Biondanza newbies! For more details call 01308 897 130 or visit [www.biondanza-bridport.co.uk](http://www.biondanza-bridport.co.uk)

### TUESDAY JANUARY 14TH

**BEAMINSTER:** Beaminster Camera Club meeting. 'The Jurassic and other Coast Path Guides, photography and recording techniques' - talk by Roland Tarr. At the Sports Pavilion off Hoghill Street from 7.30pm.

### FRIDAY JANUARY 17TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club meeting. Competition - New Beginnings. From 7.30pm at Woodmead Halls.

### WEDNESDAY JANUARY 22ND

**TYPE:** West Dorset Decorative and Fine Arts Society meeting. 'Art and the Russian Revolution' talk by Mr Jethro Lyne at Highlands End Leisure Centre from 2.30pm. For more details call 01297 443615.

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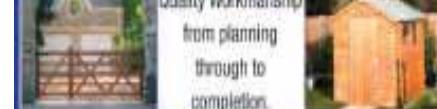
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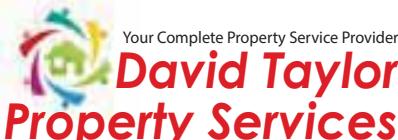
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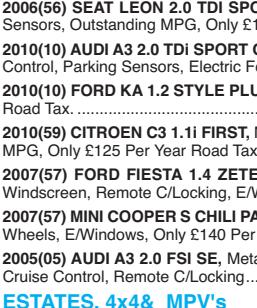
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## Three ways to save with Suzuki

SUZUKI GB has announced details of its new winter sales campaign, which sees customer given even more flexibility and choice when it comes to buying a new Suzuki.

More than 10 models from Suzuki's extensive 2014 line up are included in the campaign, which launches on January 1, and allows customers to choose between having £500 contributed toward their deposit by their Suzuki dealer, £600 worth of Genuine Suzuki accessories to personalise their new bike, or £700 towards the cost of their insurance\*.

Models featured in the campaign include a full compliment of GSX-

R600, GSX-R750 and GSX-R1000 models, as well as the Hayabusa. Both the Burgman 400 and Burgman 650 Executive models, the popular V-Strom 650 adventure machine, the multi award-winning GSR750, the SFV650 middleweight, C1500T cruiser and the GSX1250FA tourer are also included.

Suzuki GB National Sales Manager, Jonathan Martin, announced the campaign, commenting, "Throughout 2013, all of us at Suzuki GB have had discussions with our customers at a number of events, and in particular at our Test Ride Roadshow events. It was made clear from customers that they want the flexibility

to choose the best deal for them when making a purchase, and we genuinely feel this new campaign allows for that individual decision to be made.

"It will appeal to the customer who just wants a discount, it will appeal to the customer who wants to accessorise their new Suzuki and it will appeal to the customer who needs the extra support with their insurance premium. What's more, customers can also take advantage of our low rate finance or PCP offers, meaning low monthly payments. It really is a great time to choose a new Suzuki, and of course choose the deal as well."

As part of the offer, you can pick up a brand new GSX1250FA with a free top case and pannier accessory pack, or if you choose an SFV650 and have a motorcycle to trade in worth £1,500, the additional £500 dealer deposit contribution could mean monthly payments for as little as £64 over three years.

The new campaign runs from January 1 to March 31. For more information visit [www.suzuk-gb.co.uk](http://www.suzuk-gb.co.uk) or visit your local authorised Suzuki dealer.

\*£700 towards insurance only available through Suzuki Insurance Services.



## Now that's what I call quality: Toyota takes 15 top 10 places in new TÜV reliability report

TOYOTA proves it's no seasonal one-hit wonder with yet another dominant performance in the annual TÜV reliability report. It heads the internationally respected survey with no fewer than 15 models earning a top 10 ranking, including both current and older vehicles.

It's the fourth year running that Toyota has emerged the leading manufacturer in the independent survey, published this week in conjunction with Auto Bild magazine. The results are particularly strong for Prius, which is the number one vehicle in the categories for both four-to-five and six-to-seven-year-old vehicles, reaffirming the robust and reliable quality of Toyota's full hybrid technology.

In the two-to-three-year-old category iQ takes third place ahead of Avensis in ninth. Among vehicles between four and five years old Auris is rated eighth behind the top-rated Prius, while in the six to seven years category Prius leads a field that includes Verso in sixth, RAV4 in seventh and Yaris in ninth.

Turn the clock further back still and Verso (second), RAV4 (third), Avensis (fifth) and Corolla (eighth) are the pick of the market for cars between eight and nine years old.

RAV4 (second), Corolla (third) and Yaris (fourth) are the standard-bearers for Toyota durability going back 10 to 11 years.

The TÜV annual report, first published 40 years ago, provides an unbiased benchmark survey for consumers about the long term reliability and overall quality of vehicles available on the market today.

TÜV is responsible for the majority of mandatory technical inspections carried out in Germany and the quality of its thorough, detailed testing procedures has earned it global respect. The findings of its latest vehicle reliability survey are based on inspection results from around eight million vehicles between July 2012 and June 2013.



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The new venture has been set up in conjunction with existing business, LeaseCarsDirect.co.uk. Its aim is to help car buyers find the right car and lease deal as conveniently and quickly as possible while cutting out the 'middle-man' brokers to provide a more direct solution than traditional models.

Hundreds of UK dealers are involved, each managing small regions resulting in a very localised service for consumers with the ability to compare deals nationwide.

The website has been designed with efficiency, functionality and ease of use in mind, resulting in an uncluttered and intuitive online experience for customers that benefits from the retail expertise of the LeaseCarsDirect.co.uk team, as well as the trust and authority that comes from the home of car buying, WhatCar?.

Chris Lowe, Publisher of WhatCar?, said: "WhatCar? has always been the first step in researching which car to buy for UK buyers. Today, we aim to put buyers in touch with dealers stocking their car of choice too. As leasing grows in popularity, and value, we wanted to answer the questions potential new car buyers may have about leasing and showcase options in a clear and comparable way."

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# Gladiators triumph at Monmouth Road feast

#### Weymouth 3rds 31 Dorchester Gladiators 61

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With both sides short of players, it was agreed to play three sessions of 20 minutes each; ten-a-side.

Since both sides combined could only produce one complete front row, scrums had to be untested.

Weymouth adapted first to the wide-open spaces, their nippy winger easily outflanking the Dorchester defence for the first score almost immediately.

Dorchester responded to draw level, before a kick ahead was received by another Weymouth youngster who evaded all would-be tacklers to put the home side ahead again.

Dorchester soon realised they needed to keep the holes covered and not leave large spaces on the open side and avoid kicking to the younger of their opponents.

At the same time, they started to exploit the space better themselves, with forwards and centres running lines in midfield that sucked in defenders, then quick ball to the outer backs resulting in the home team's defences being overstretched.

Several tries followed, giving the visitors a comfortable lead at 14-34, before Weymouth managed to find the gaps out wide again.

Two quick tries brought the score to 26-34 at half-time, and Dorchester realised they had to keep their concentration or the match could slip away.

Although much of the Dorchester game was

played at tempo, Weymouth used their forwards more to try to break through.

The defences held, with two driving mauls being held up, and Dorchester often managing to steal the ball and counter-attack. Weymouth's ability to feed their faster players was therefore restricted.

The home side had the luxury of their second team playing on the adjacent pitch, and winning comfortably, so were able to decrease the average age of their team through judicious substitutions.

This paid off when the new scrum half pounced on a loose ball from a Dorchester scrum, and went straight down the middle of the pitch to score under the posts.

However, Dorchester had managed two scores from penalties in the interim, one a simple tap and go, the other a lineout on the five metre line, both being finished off in the corner with excellent passing between the back line players so as to evade the defence.

At the end of the second session, both teams were keen to continue although an early end had been an option. Dorchester added to their score, again with good passing countering the speed of the defence.

The match was played in excellent spirit, and thoroughly enjoyed by the Gladiators who are very grateful to Weymouth for the invitation to play.

They now have a break until January 18th when they visit Wimborne to try to improve upon last week's result.

Anyone who is interested in returning to rugby, or taking it up for the first time, is very welcome

to contact gladiators@dorchester-rfc.co.uk.

#### Teamwork beginning to show

DORCHESTER Under 8s continue to develop their ability to work together as small teams.

Support, passing to hand and accurate tagging is key areas they've been working on and it's starting to come together as was seen on their visit to Blandford.

Despite taking a somewhat depleted squad of 13 players, they still managed to muster three teams, two of them borrowing a guest player from the home side, who all worked well in their separate matches.

Dorchester Greens were able, through support for Rocco Taylor and Henry Bartlett to run in 7 tries; Blandford managing the same resulting in a 7-7 draw.

Dorchester Oranges were able to give support to Euan Parker, Fynn Jones and Stanley Hoskin and ran in nine tries against Blandford's four for a victory.

Dorchester Blues saw Jacob Cope and Jasper Sennett run in six tries, but Blandford had the upper hand scoring eight for victory resulting in another win, draw and lose weekend.

◆ THIRTEEN players enjoyed their trip to North Dorset where both teams shared the warm up

before two evenly matched teams from each club played each other.

The North Dorset players are well drilled in fast passes after tags and passing before tag, and both these techniques ensured that the play was kept at pace and that Dorchester were kept on their toes.

Dorchester Oranges had a draw followed by a

two point loss, the team working well together with some fantastic runs and tries from Jacob Cope, Henry Bartlett and Rocco Taylor. Freddie Lambourn, Stanley Hoskin and Fynn Jones provided sterling back up and tagging.

Dorchester Blues had a one-point loss followed by a draw. Again teamwork was evident with brilliant running and support from Harry Wells, Ben Senior and Sam Smith Rose, with tries coming from Harry Wells, Charlie Brookes, Euan Parker, Ben Adler and Jasper Sennett.

Next week training (December 15th) at the club starts at 10 am.

#### Seasiders exploit the gaps

##### PUDDLETOWN 5 WEYMOUTH 2ND 58

WHAT a great first half display. With both clubs working hard to score; this Dorset and Wilts 2 South game ebbed and flowed between both sides 22 lines with no side being able to get into the try scoring zone.

Eventually it was the Weymouth that broke the deadlock from a penalty on Puddletown's 22 for failing to roll away in the tackle that was kicked for the corner.

From the resulting lineout Sean Murphy drove through to cross the white wash.

Puddletown responded from the restart and were unlucky not to score when they were turned over 5m out and Weymouth run through to score a breakaway try from winger Will Quick.

Both teams continued to battle away but just before the break Weymouth scored another try; an excellent back line move started in their own half allowing Joe Gibson to cross the white wash.

In the second-half Puddletown determination to get back in the game was rewarded with a try.

But in trying to salvage something from the game they left lots of space which the visitors exploited to run in further tries from Murphy, Quick and Gibson as well as Dean Parker, Ryan Lewenden, Joel Wilson and Andy Bowditch with Lewenden adding four conversions.

Captain Kevin Leatham praised his team for their work rate adding: "It was great to see the team starting to gel together as a team, well done."

#### Ton-up boys overwhelm Oaks

##### WEYMOUTH 2ND 100 OAKMEDIANS 2ND 5

THIS game was played with 13-a-side as Oaks were short of player which resulted in more room on the pitch to be exploited by the teams. Weymouth produced a great game for the full 80 minutes that saw them win very comfortably.

Ten Seasiders crossed the whitewash sixteen times as they ran the visitors ragged with Duncan Bezzant and Joel Wilson both scoring three and Shaun Murphy and Kylo Farley bagging braces. The others were Dean Parker, Will Quick, Alex Hawkins, Andy Bowditch, Matt Hanson and Gareth Owens. Hanson converted six and Farley four.

The next league game is on January 4th when Weymouth travel over the Ridgeway to visit Dorchester 2nds.

However, there is a game on Boxing Day when a Chairman's XV take on a President's XV. Kick-off is 1pm but everybody who is eligible and wants to play should meet at 12.15pm with boots at the ready.

■ DASH TO THE LINE:  
Dean Parker makes a break in the game against Oakmedians.  
Photo by CHRIS DAVIS

#### Dorchester & District Snooker

RESULTS and tables as at December 8th: West Dorset Club A 6 WDC Whipping Boys 0, Trinity M 4 West Dorset Club 3, Trinity Gooduns 5 Trinity Express 2, Purbeck Potters 6 Colliton Hopefups 1, Colliton Cons 5 Trinity M 4.

30+ breaks: A.Page 39, N.Joslin 34, S.Rhone 33. Top break of the season: Evan Wellman (67).

| Table (week 10)         | Pld | Pts |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|
| Trinity M.....          | 9   | 37  |
| Purbeck Potters.....    | 8   | 34  |
| Trinity Gooduns.....    | 8   | 34  |
| Colliton Cons.....      | 8   | 32  |
| Colliton Hopefups.....  | 8   | 31  |
| West Dorset Club A..... | 6   | 30  |
| Trinity Express.....    | 9   | 30  |
| Colliton XQ2013.....    | 7   | 27  |
| WDC Whipping Boys.....  | 9   | 21  |

#### Team Handicap Knockout

##### Cup – Round Two draw

Colliton XQ 2013 v WDC Whipping Boys - Monday December 9th, Colliton Hopefups v Colliton Cons - Tuesday December 10th, Trinity M v Trinity Express - Wednesday December 11th, Purbeck Potters v Trinity Gooduns - Thursday December 12th.

#### Team Open Knockout

##### Cup – semi-finals: Trinity M v Purbeck Potters or Colliton Cons, Colliton Hopefups v Trinity Gooduns.

#### Upcoming re-arranged league matches:

West Dorset Club A v Purbeck Potters (Dec 9th), Colliton XQ 2013 v West Dorset Club A - Monday December 16th , Colliton Cons v Colliton Hopefups - To finish score 2-3, West Dorset Club A v Trinity Gooduns - To finish score 4-1.

#### Football round-up

## Why has the answers

#### RESULTS - Saturday, December 7th

##### County cups.

**Senior:** Poole 3 Wimborne 0, Weymouth 4 Bridport 0, Hamworthy 4 Dorchester 1, Verwood 0 Gillingham 2.

**Junior:** AFC Blandford 2 Mere Res 1, Lyme Regis Res 1 Broadstone 2, Maiden Newton 3 Stickland 4, Tavern Celtic Res 1 Portland Town Res 5.

##### Premier League

A LEWIS Clarke second-half double strike helped Portland United come from behind to win 2-1 Merley Cobham 2-1.

Meanwhile, Weymouth Reserves had to be content with a point after being held to a 1-1 draw at lowly Cranborne.

**Scores:** Blandford Utd 1 Swanage & H 5, Bridport Res 9 Ham Utd Res 2, Cranborne 1 Weymouth Res 1, Merley Cobham 1 Portland Utd 2, Parley Sports 2 Mere Town 2, Poole Boro 0 Ham Rec 4, Sherborne Res 0 Holt Utd 2, Wareham Tangers 3 Shaftesbury 2.

##### Senior League

JOSH Why was the hat-trick hero as Chickrell United beat Kingston Lacy 3-0 to move to the top of the table.

Elsewhere, goals from Josh Burton and Josh Hill couldn't save Portland United Reserves from a 4-2 home defeat at the hands of Corfe Mullen United.

**Scores:** Chickrell Utd 3-0 Kingston Lacy, Okeford 3-0 Upwey & Broadwey, Piddletrenthide 0-1 Blandford Utd Res, Portland United Reserves 2-4 Corfe Mullen, Sturminster Newton United 1-2 Gillingham Town Reserves, Westland Sports 6-1 South Cheriton Utd.

##### Dorset League Division One

Bere Regis 1-4 Kangaroos, Dorchester Sports 5-1 AFC Cobham Sports, Poundbury Res 2-3 Milborne Sports, Swanage Town & H 3-4 Poole Borough Res, Weymouth Spartans 1-3 Bally House.

##### Dorset League Division Two

Gillingham A 4-2 Parley Sports Res, Luttrell RT 6-2 Wyke Regis SC, Redland FC 2-3 Chickrell Utd Res, Shaftesbury Town Res v Sturminster Newton Utd Res, Ship Inn 3-6 Portland Town.

##### Dorset League Division Three

Donhead Utd 2-5 Sturminster Marshall Res, Handley Sports 1-3 Bere Regis Res.

##### Dorset League Division Four

#### FIXTURES - Saturday, December 14th

##### Premier League

Bridport Res v Sherborne Res, Mere Town v Blandford Utd, Parley Sports v Merley Cobham, Shaftesbury v Holt Utd, Swanage & Herston v Cranborne, Weymouth Res v Wareham Rangers. **FA Inter League** Kent County League v Dofset Premier League (at Chatham FC) **Senior League** Gillingham Town Reserves v Portland United Reserves, Kingston Lacy v Corfe Mullen United, Okeford United v Piddletrenthide United. **Dorset League Division One** AFC Cobham v Wincanton Town Res, Bridport Av Bere Regis, Dorchester Sports v Poundbury Rovers, Milborne Sports v Swanage Town & Herston Res. **Dorset League Division Two** Corfe Castle v Portland Town, Portesham United v Piddlehinton United, The Ship Inn v Shaftesbury Town Res, Wareham Rangers Res v Sturminster Newton Utd Res. **Dorset League Division Three** AFC Blandford v Maiden Newton & Cattistock, Broadstone v Henstridge United, Donhead United v Mere Town Reserves, Stickland United v Portland Town Reserves, Sturminster Marshall Res v Stalbridge. **Dorset League Division Four** Cranborne Reserves v Pimperne Sports, South Cheriton United Res v Corfe Mullen United Reserves, United Club of Poundbury v Kangaroos Reserves, Weymouth Spartans Reserves v AFC Cobham Reserves. **Dorset League Division Five** Handley Sports Reserves v Okeford United Reserves, Portland Town B v Luttrell RT Youth, Maiden Newton & Cattistock v Broadstone Reserves, Marnhull v Portland United Youth.



## West Dorset youth indoor cricket

#### Cerne Valley U12 166-2 beat

##### Weymouth A 117 all out by 49 runs

CHAMPIONS-ELECT Cerne extended their unbeaten record with a comprehensive victory over a valiant Weymouth A.

Batting first they dominated with a show of masterful stroke play and running between the wickets as Weymouth's bowlers were put to the sword, with 11 year old Lizzie (27no) stealing the show with a stylish innings.

Weymouth started well with 18 runs coming from the first over, however the pressure to score took its toll with four batsmen run out as Cerne applied the pressure with an excellent display in the field.

Weymouth's Charlie fought hard with a battling 47, but the run rate proved too much with the final two batsmen also run out becoming the first side to be dis-

missed in such a way.

Portland U12 3-1 beat Charlton Down 52 all out by 5 wickets

Portland moved into second place with a crushing defeat of Charlton Down, who batting first lost Ollie Davies to a run out of the second ball of the innings.

Portland captain Harrison struck twice in the second over, removing the dangerous Alex Felton for a duck with an amazing caught and bowled and followed up with a clean bowling Henry Dibble for another duck.

Despite a defiant 14 from Sam Hardy Michael Dunning (2-9) and a first wicket for debutant Joe Harper Charlton Down were dismissed for 52 all out.

Portland did not have it all their own way losing William Cotter to the first ball before Gordan claimed a brace. However, a patient Dan Horne (25no) was unfazed and aided by a defiant James (17no) saw Dorchester home.

ported by Dunning (5no) led Portland to victory.

#### Dorchester U12 82-3 beat

##### Weymouth B 81-5 by 3 wickets

DORCHESTER recorded their maiden win of the season with a hard fought victory over a battling Weymouth B.

Weymouth lost Tom Anderson to the first ball of their innings as Dorchester produced a good all-round display.

Only Oliver Gordon (16) and James Cradwell (12) managed any success against an accurate bowling attack as their innings closed on 81.

Dorchester's reply began well with 42 runs coming from the first three overs before Gordan claimed a brace. However, a patient Dan Horne (25no) was unfazed and aided by a defiant James (17no) saw Dorchester home.

# Bridport Darts League

| Division One       | Pls | Pts |
|--------------------|-----|-----|
| Rob's Robbers      | 11  | 20  |
| BSC                | 11  | 19  |
| All Stars          | 11  | 15  |
| Nomads             | 11  | 15  |
| Times Up           | 11  | 14  |
| Nags Head A        | 11  | 11  |
| Knapp Inn          | 11  | 10  |
| Young Guns         | 9   | 8   |
| Hands of Time      | 10  | 7   |
| Surely that's engh | 11  | 6   |
| Odd Bodds          | 11  | 2   |
| Dat Team           | 10  | 1   |

**Most 180s:** Mark Munro (All Stars), Terry Prowse (Rob's Robbers), Graham Knight (Nomads), Matt Brotherton (Rob's Robbers) all 4.  
**Win %:** Graham Knight (Nomads) 100% (11/11)

| Division Two        | Pls | Pts |
|---------------------|-----|-----|
| One for the Vikings | 10  | 17  |
| Odds or Us          | 10  | 15  |
| Rubber Johns        | 10  | 15  |
| Elders              | 10  | 14  |
| Young Darters       | 10  | 11  |
| Royal Hawks         | 10  | 9   |
| One Direction       | 10  | 8   |
| Poachers            | 10  | 7   |
| The Surgeons        | 10  | 7   |
| Bob's Boys          | 10  | 4   |
| Broken Arrows       | 10  | 3   |

**Most 180s:** Mike Day (One for the Vikings), Kenny Poole (One Direction) both x3.  
**Win %:** Dave Churchill (One for the Vikings), Nick Quinton (Odds or Us) both 100% (10/10).

| Division Three      | Pls | Pts |
|---------------------|-----|-----|
| Anchor Vale Viewers | 9   | 15  |
| Flashes Fives       | 9   | 15  |
| Anchor Five         | 9   | 11  |
| Only Just           | 9   | 11  |
| Time Bombs          | 9   | 11  |
| Inbetweeners        | 9   | 8   |
| Mozzies Heroes      | 9   | 7   |
| The Capercaillies   | 9   | 6   |
| Midnight Runners    | 9   | 3   |
| Odd & Sods          | 9   | 3   |

**Most 180s:** Paul Bearpark (Odds & Sods) x2.  
**Win %:** Paul Gumbrell (Inbetweeners), Andre Reynolds (Time Bombs) both 100%.

| Division Four     | Pls | Pts |
|-------------------|-----|-----|
| Otter Rotters     | 10  | 15  |
| Tip Top Odds      | 10  | 14  |
| Tiger Bees        | 10  | 13  |
| The Royal Nuts    | 10  | 13  |
| All the Kings Men | 10  | 12  |
| Sorted Odds       | 10  | 11  |
| Dodgers           | 10  | 10  |
| No Direction      | 10  | 7   |
| Sue's Rebels      | 10  | 6   |
| Greyhound         | 10  | 5   |
| Con Artists       | 10  | 4   |

**Most 180s:** Five players x1.  
**Win %:** John Boyle and Adrian Critchard both 100%.

| Ladies Div One   | Pls | Pts |
|------------------|-----|-----|
| Tender Trap      | 9   | 16  |
| Anchor Aces      | 9   | 14  |
| Clocking On      | 9   | 14  |
| Knight 'n' Gals  | 9   | 14  |
| Queens of the Cl | 9   | 8   |
| Sue's Rebels     | 9   | 8   |
| Kings Arrows     | 9   | 6   |
| Next Door        | 9   | 5   |
| Queen Bees       | 9   | 5   |
| Castaways        | 9   | 0   |

**Most 180s:** Sharon Poole (Clocking On).  
**Win %:** Sarah Chick (Tender Trap) 100% (9/9).

| Ladies Div Two    | Pls | Pts |
|-------------------|-----|-----|
| Cliff Hangers     | 7   | 11  |
| Against the Odds  | 7   | 10  |
| Wildcats          | 7   | 10  |
| Good Mates        | 7   | 6   |
| Douglalls Dollies | 7   | 5   |
| Anchors Aweigh    | 7   | 5   |
| Charlie's Angels  | 7   | 5   |
| Tiger Stripes     | 7   | 4   |

**Most 180s:** None.  
**Win %:** Brenda Bartlett (Anchors Aweigh) 100% (7/7).

## BRIDPORT RUGBY

### Blues case always an uphill struggle

#### NORTH DORSET 2NDS 31

##### BRIDPORT 0

THE Blues' recent run of success hit the buffers on Saturday at North Dorset's o m i n o u s l y - n a m e d Slaughtergate ground, where the home side were well supported from the touchline by their Southern Counties first team whose fixture with Weymouth had been cancelled.

Bridport made an unusually brisk start by spending the first 15 minutes in the opposition half.

They played with some vigour and kept the home side under pressure. Sadly the curse of the failed final pass had followed them from their previous game at Wareham.

The first North Dorset foray into the visitor's half resulted in an easy penalty in front of the posts. The Blues were stung by this and returned to the attack.

A sweeping move down the left wing was painfully halted by a serious neck-high tackle on the Bridport full back which resulted in a yellow card.

Bridport stand-off Ricky Stubbs tried to take advantage of the players absence by chipping ahead behind the depleted

North Dorset backline but without result.

The home side finally built up some steam in the latter part of the first-half.

They were putting the Blues on the back foot close to their line and a second penalty to go 6-0 up saw the game turn their way.

A speculative kick ahead by the home side saw the Bridport full-back facing three charging opponents who ripped the ball away for an easy run to the try line and a conversion.

North Dorset back to fifteen began to be more effective in line-out, broken play and in general confidence; strong in the tackle and high energy in open play. Another penalty gave them a half-time lead of 16-0.

The tale of the first-half was high Bridport expectations at the beginning, but North Dorset domination at the end.

The second half saw the home side make some very judicious substitutions and their game seemed to move up a league.

A converted try in the first minute was an ominous omen of the sustained pressure that Bridport would have to fight to resist, let alone

overcome.

A doubtful marginal penalty for offside at an extremely competitive ruck seemed to suck the battle out of the Blues.

North Dorset began to use the kick ahead to pin the visitors close to their own line, and Bridport began to wilt.

They were taking the wrong options, passes were over-extended and tackles were missed.

North Dorset scored their final try down the left wing running right over an injured Bridport player on the ground whom the referee had seemed not to notice.

The last portion of the game saw some gritty pride return to the Bridport fifteen.

They began to put the bite back into their play and challenge the home side at penalty scrums rather than go for goal.

Both sides closed the game out with matching levels of intensity. Blues' Will Hegarty suffered a nasty head blow just before the final whistle.

The rematch in March will make interesting reading of the team sheets.

Bridport are away to East Dorset at Christchurch next Saturday.

### Legg secures Hounds passage

#### Pymore 0 Waytown Hounds 4

THE revival of the highly popular Edwards Charity Cup competition continued with Waytown Hounds defeating Pymore 4-0 in the first quarter final under lights at St Mary's field on Thursday night.

In an entertaining match, well controlled by experienced referee Gerry Muhl, Waytown's clinical finishing proved to be the difference between the two teams on the splendid Bridport FC surface.

After 20 minutes Tom Rutland picked out striker Jon Legg, who raced through and finished well to put the Hounds ahead, but Pymore's best laid plans were disrupted soon after by a bad injury to Dean Obstacias who left St Mary's field with his ankle heavily strapped following attention from paramedics.

The wait for the ambulance clearly affected the Pymore players, who found themselves two goals down at the interval when Legg crossed the ball for James Loveridge to fire home.

Legg had a goal disallowed shortly after the re-start for offside before heading in a pin-

point cross from Garry Goodall for the third.

The lower league side completed the rout when Legg no mistake in grabbing his second hat-trick of the season after Steve Masters fed him after a mazy run from midfield.

Winning manager Mark Hughes said: "This was a great team performance but Man-of-the-Match has to go to Legg."

The match was preceded by a minute's silence in memory of Phillip Guppy, the uncle of Hounds' player Ethan Guppy.

The remaining draw is: Charmouth v Bridport, U17s, Beaminster v Bridport 3rds, Lyme Regis v Netherbury. Dates for these matches are to be announced.

The Edwards Charity Cup is a long-standing competition run by Bridport FC for junior football clubs in the area.

The Bridport Football Partnership, a charity committed to improving football facilities in the area and opportunities for local people to enjoy the game, revived the competition in 2011.

Further information can be obtained from the BFP chairman Geoff Joy on 01308 425495 or g.joy@fsmail.net

# Bridport & Dist skittles League

| Division A      | Pls | Pts |
|-----------------|-----|-----|
| Wanderers       | 7   | 14  |
| Denhay Farm     | 8   | 10  |
| Masters         | 8   | 10  |
| Shipfaced       | 6   | 10  |
| Rejects         | 8   | 8   |
| Rockets         | 7   | 8   |
| Rough Eight     | 8   | 8   |
| Slingers        | 8   | 8   |
| Smithys Boys    | 8   | 6   |
| Broadac         | 7   | 4   |
| The Dingles     | 7   | 4   |
| Nelson Nobblers | 8   | 0   |

| Division B        | Pls | Pts |
|-------------------|-----|-----|
| Gerryatrics       | 7   | 11  |
| Lively Lads       | 7   | 10  |
| Miss the Ball     | 8   | 10  |
| Outsiders         | 7   | 10  |
| Bangers           | 7   | 6   |
| Crazy Gang        | 6   | 6   |
| U Know the Blokes | 6   | 6   |
| W.Dorset Panthers | 8   | 6   |
| Dingbats          | 7   | 4   |
| NBC               | 6   | 4   |
| 7' Clock          | 7   | 3   |

| Division C    | Pls | Pts |
|---------------|-----|-----|
| Swimming Club | 7   | 10  |
| AFAR          | 7   | 8   |
| Aussies Lot   | 7   | 8   |
| Mean Machine  | 6   | 8   |
| Originals     | 5   | 8   |
| Bulldogs      | 6   | 6   |
| LHS           | 6   | 5   |
| Castouts      | 6   | 4   |
| Strawpeneed   | 6   | 4   |
| Groundhogs    | 6   | 1   |

| Ladies Division | Pls | Pts |
|-----------------|-----|-----|
| Brandy Snaps    | 6   | 10  |
| Hidden Talent   | 5   | 8   |
| Pinbathers      | 6   | 8   |
| Yo Yo's         | 5   | 6   |
| Alleycats       | 4   | 4   |
| Bad Girls       | 4   | 2   |
| Tiger Lilies    | 6   | 2   |
| No Problem      | 4   | 0   |

#### Highest individual score: S.Yeatman (Brandy Snaps) 82.

## HOCKEY

### Defeat, but Beaminster heads held high

#### Gillingham 4 Beaminster Ladies 0

THE result does not do justice to a battling performance by depleted Beaminster.

They travelled to North Dorset with just ten players to take on league leaders Gillingham who were able to field a squad of 14.

Winners of all but one of their games this season, the hosts boasted numerous county players and seasoned performers, while Beaminster's most experienced player was 19-year-old Danni Donovan who was reduced to a passenger in the second-half, leaving Beaminster virtually with nine players.

Despite the situation it was Beaminster that had the better of the first ten minutes with a lot of possession and movement and forcing two unproductive corners with Nepheli Theophanidis and Donovan both hassling the Gills' defences into mistakes.

Meanwhile the visiting rearguard dealt well with any breaks.

It was against the run of play that Gillingham opened the scoring when Beaminster failed to clear their lines and the ball was forced home.

The visitors almost grabbed an equaliser on 23 minutes but the home 'keeper kept

pulled off some good saves from a series of strikes on goal.

Gillingham doubled their lead just before the break when they again forced the ball home after 'keeper Lisa Condliffe had saved the initial shot.

It was much the same in the second-half with Beaminster's youngsters taking the game to their more experienced opponents and despite being down to nine players they held a lot of possession.

Jana Littleproud and player-of-the-match Genna Campbell worked tirelessly in the centre of defence with Campbell producing two brilliant tackles to prevent

a strike on goal.

However, the numerical advantage eventually told and Gillingham scored a third from their first of only two short corners of the game; Beaminster forced eight in total.

They completed a rather unfair score line ten minutes from the end when the ball was flicked over Condliffe after she had made the initial save.

This was a superb team performance by Beaminster who were a credit to the club.

**Beaminster:** Condliffe, Campbell, Littleproud, Dale, Hosegood, Donovan, Davies, Stewart, H Clarke, Theophanidis.

#### WITH HANNAH PULLINGER



■ HELPING THE RNLI: RNLI representative Peter Jackson (left) receives a cheque for £230 from club chairman Rod Barr. The money was raised during the year mainly from the RNLI Open match with an additional sum raised at the Chesil Championships.

| Thursday, October 31st                 | Abbotsbury   |
|--|--|
| WEST                                   | Bexington  |
| Daytime match                          | 1-6pm  |
| THE last daytime match of the year was | fished at Abbotsbury. Adam Cullingford won it with a bucketful of plaice and |
| 1st Paul House                         | 7245g, 2nd Ashley  |

## Football - Bees news

WITH STUART BROOM

## Bees run continues while Ressies hammer hapless Hamworthy

## Bees extend their run

LONGWELL GREEN SPORTS 1 BRIDPORT 3

Toolstation Premier - art: 73

BRIDPORT made it seven league games undefeated with this hard earned win in Bristol. Having gone through November with only one defeat at Chard Town in the Les Phillips Cup, Saturday's win set them up for possibly the toughest clash of the season when they travel to Toolstation Western League Premier Division leaders Larkhall Athletic this weekend.

The pitch, wet and very tacky was not conducive to Bridport's style of play, but they dug in to record another three points that sees them sit ninth in the table.

Bridport made a slow start but after 15 minutes began to get their game together. However they were almost caught out on 25 minutes after Shane Evans committed a foul on the halfway line.

The referee played advantage which resulted in Sports Dan Hunt hitting the bar before the ball was scrambled away. When play stopped the referee booked Evans for his tackle.

The incident appeared to jolt the Bees into action and they stepped up their game. Tom Richardson struck the outside of the post from an angle after being put in by Darren Watts, before the provider did similar after making himself an angle, the ball hitting the side netting.

They took the lead soon after however when Jamie Filkins' cross with the outside of his boot found Ryan Dovell who chested it down before turning and firing left footed just inside the far post.

Longwell competed for a spell at the start of the second half, but the Bees increased their lead ten minutes in through the half from a Dan Wise free kick. Matt Morley had been brought down on the left level with the penalty spot, and Wise's curling free-kick was missed by everyone and went in off the far post.

Sports hit back though and reduced the arrears following a free kick; Jamie Coombes neatly getting in front his marker at the near post to volley home.

However, almost immediately he shot his team in the foot when he was red carded for a two-footed tackle on Watts midway through the half.

With a man advantage Bridport coasted through the rest of the game and created a number of goal scoring chances with Richardson the main culprit, before Evans made the game safe.

Breaking forward from defence he went on a run down the right. Shrugging off an attempted tackle, he fired a superb shot across the keeper and into the far side of the net.

## Not so easy

WEYMOUTH 4 BRIDPORT 0

Dorset Senior Cup QF

WEYMOUTH, still smarting from the 7-0 thrashing at Stourbridge on Saturday, were hoping to regain their confidence against Bridport in the quarter-final of the Dorset Senior Cup and while they won by a comfortable margin, there was not a lot between the teams except in the art of taking chances.

Weymouth played a side consisting of mostly first team squad players, although central defenders, the Walker brothers, Michael and Nathan were sat in the stand while the Bees were without 'keeper Sam Filkins, captain Ryan Hayter and defenders Chris Clarke and Chris Senior.

With a shortage of central defenders manager Trevor Senior played striker Ryan Dovell in defence, a position he has played in an emergency when at Dorchester Town.

Weymouth finally breached the Bees defence just before the half hour with a good finish from Mark Ford after a one-two with assistant manager Matt Groves, and captain Scott Walker turned home Luke Burbridge's cross for the second before the interval.

Midway through the second half Darren Watts had a great chance to get Bridport back in the game but headed over the crossbar which would have set up an interesting finale.

It meant that Bridport had to push on in the latter stages, and Weymouth exploited the gaps and Sam Poole and Stewart Yetton saw the Terras home with late headers.

Bees boss Senior said: "There wasn't a lot to choose between the sides except they finished their chances

well.

"However, if Darren Watts' header from Dan Wise's cross had gone in when we were in the ascendancy early in the second-half it might have been different, but we got caught twice in the closing stages as we were pushing on.

## BRIDPORT RESERVES 9 HAMWORTHY UNITED RES 2

BRIDPORT manager Robin Townsend was cockahoop after his charges had smashed nine past Hamworthy United reserves at St Mary's Field with Jack Scovell leading the way with four fantastic goals.

The former Lyme Regis boss who describes his side as having a Jekyll & Hyde mentality describes their performance as "perfect", although nit picking was disappointed they conceded two late goals after being seven up. The result moved the Bees up to sixth in the Dorset Premier League and just three points behind Mere Town.

"I don't think they deserved to lose so heavily, but we were just so very good.

"All the goals except Ryan Gall's which was a tap in, were well worked and well taken, and all four of Jack's goals were fantastic. He proved what a good player he is, and showed flashes of how good he could with more application."

It was Scovell who opened the scoring on 11 minutes finishing a great move involving Ben Clarke, Gary Bulman and Michael Hailu. Bulman then finished a scintillating individual run past five defenders by adding the second. Both scored a second before the break along with the first of Tristan Gale's brace.

Scovell and Gale heaped more misery on the Hammers after the interval before Bradley Miles pulled one back with five minutes left on the clock. However sub Gall and Scovell with his fourth squeezed goals in before Scott Logan snatched a second just before the final whistle.

Whilst Townsend was pleased with the whole team performance, he picked out Ben Clarke, Bulman, Scovell and Sean Stewart for special praise.

"Sean played at centre back for the second week running, and once again was solid and comfortable. He gives us a good foundation in the centre of defence.

"I'm the first to criticise, but also the first to praise when necessary, and they were all superb this week. They are a good footballing side but they have a mental attitude that sometimes lets them down. We need to make sure they keep their feet on the ground after this win.

"We now need to push on. Statistically we are ahead of where we were this time last year when we finished seventh, so hopefully we can improve on that."

## Bridport outsmarted

BRIDPORT U17 1 SHERBORNE 2

BRIDPORT U17s suffered their second consecutive league defeat of the season, this time at the hands of a Sherborne team that they had beaten easily earlier in the season and that was at times, reduced to ten players.

The home team started well, moving the ball around the full pitch with confidence and going 1-0 up after 20 minutes when striker Sam Tabner lobbed the visiting 'keeper from the edge of the box.

They continued to press and were unlucky not to convert further chances but, when moves broke down, they also had to deal with counter attacks from the determined visitors.

Impatient with their inability to seal the victory with another goal, the hosts hit the self-destruct button in the second-half, conceding possession again and again in the final third of the pitch; leaving much of the team stranded upfield and the defence exposed.

Soon Sherborne had pulled a goal back and, confident that they had the measure of an increasingly frustrated Bridport, simply sat back and waited for the inevitable opportunities to counter - and sure enough another attack brought them the winner ten minutes before time.

Manager Terry Warren said: "It's very disappointing. This is not the kind of football that we have worked on week in week out in training since the summer.

"We engineered our own downfall, resorting to a predictable style of play that we have to eliminate from our game if we want to win the league. We have a bit of work to do."

## Current tables

| Toolstation Prem        | Pld       | GD       | Pts       |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Larkhall Athletic.....  | 18        | 39       | 52        |
| Gillingham Town.....    | 22        | 39       | 51        |
| Bristol Manor Farm..... | 18        | 38       | 44        |
| Street.....             | 21        | 11       | 40        |
| Odd Down.....           | 19        | 14       | 36        |
| Willand Rovers.....     | 21        | 9        | 35        |
| Brislington.....        | 17        | 4        | 27        |
| Cadbury Heath.....      | 19        | 2        | 27        |
| <b>BRIDPORT</b> .....   | <b>20</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>26</b> |
| Melksham Town.....      | 20        | 8        | 26        |
| Halen.....              | 13        | 7        | 25        |
| Bitton.....             | 18        | 0        | 25        |
| Buckland Athletic.....  | 18        | 1        | 23        |
| Longley Green.....      | 17        | 10       | 20        |
| Winterbourne Utd.....   | 17        | 13       | 15        |
| Slimbridge.....         | 19        | 17       | 15        |
| Hengrove Athletic.....  | 19        | 21       | 15        |
| Radstock Town*.....     | 20        | 24       | 15        |
| Sherborne Town*.....    | 19        | 16       | 14        |
| Ilfracombe Town.....    | 16        | 19       | 14        |
| Bishop Sutton.....      | 21        | 39       | 14        |

| Dorset Premier               | Pld       | GD        | Pts       |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Hamworthy Rec.....           | 18        | 32        | 35        |
| <b>PORTLAND UNITED</b> ..... | <b>16</b> | <b>32</b> | <b>35</b> |
| Merley Cobham.....           | 17        | 17        | 33        |
| <b>WEYMOUTH RES</b> .....    | <b>18</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>32</b> |
| Mere Town.....               | 16        | 15        | 28        |
| <b>BRIDPORT RES</b> .....    | <b>17</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>25</b> |
| Wareham Rangers.....         | 17        | 2         | 24        |
| Blandford United.....        | 17        | -6        | 23        |
| Swanage & Herston*.....      | 18        | 2         | 22        |
| Tintinhull.....              | 16        | -3        | 22        |
| Shaftesbury Town*.....       | 19        | -10       | 22        |
| Holt United.....             | 20        | -16       | 20        |
| Hamworthy Utd Res*.....      | 17        | -14       | 18        |
| Parley Sports.....           | 19        | -19       | 18        |
| Cranborne.....               | 18        | -37       | 17        |
| Poole Borough.....           | 18        | -17       | 15        |
| Sherborne Town Res.....      | 17        | -9        | 14        |

| Dorset Div 1 (bott)        | Pld       | GD        | Pts       |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Swanage & Herst Res.....   | 12        | -5        | 13        |
| <b>Bridport 3rds</b> ..... | <b>10</b> | <b>-2</b> | <b>11</b> |
| AFC Cobham.....            | 11        | -14       | 11        |
| Stourpaine.....            | 12        | -8        | 11        |
| Bere Regis.....            | 10        | -26       | 1         |

## Bowls

## Men defeated in basement battle

BRIDPORT Men's team lost their Wessex League match against fellow strugglers **Dolphin Blues (Poole)** 85-75 overall.

Arthur Stone, Martin Grier, Brian Conisbee and captain Chris Thorne picked up a fine two points with a 26-16 away win and Brian Baker, Phil Hedges, Ken Enticott and Keith Gentry another two with a 21-13 home win.

Dolphin picked up the extra eight points for an overall win as Max Dare, Mel Griffiths, Bill Payne and Brian Rumble, and Dave Roberts, Brian Galpin, Bob Taylor and Ivor Parker lost 11-29 and 17-27 respectively.

Bridport A forced a draw against **Wellworthy** for three points in the Purbeck Trophy League.

Hedges, Taylor and Parker were 5-18 down, but a remarkable scoring burst of 14,8,2,4 gave them a final 23-22 victory.

With Roy Lidington, Keith Brooks and Rumble finishing 1,3,1,4 to only lose by a shot 15-16, the match was tied at 48-48.

Martin Wilton, Brooks and Parker picked up another two points after a 18-15 win against the **Dolphin**.

In the over 60's league Brian Pratt, Brian Legg and Mel Griffiths finished 2,2 to win 16-13 against **Dorchester**; Peter Sandall, Keith Jenkins and Tony Bartlett just missing out on maximum points, losing 14-19 against a strong trio.



## SCHOOLS CROSS-COUNTRY

## Records tumble as Colfox take the honours

EVERY course record bar one was smashed in the last round of the South West Dorset Schools Cross Country Championships held at The Sir John Colfox School last week.

Conditions were ideal for the third race of the series with unusually firm ground for the time of year and with no winter gales to battle against.

Overall team and individual positions were based on a points system with only those schools or athletes that had competed in all three races qualifying for the overall title, although awards were given for each of the races.

The hosts provided two of the individual winners, as did Thomas Hardy School, Dorchester with Woodroffe, Lyme Regis and Dorchester Middle School (DMS) one each.

Alex Felton from DMS won the Year 7 Boys race in 8m58s beating the course record by 27 seconds with Colfox's Manny Cox just two seconds behind, which was enough to win him the overall Year 7 Boys title.

However neither of their efforts were good enough to stop Budmouth from taking the team title with just 14 points.

Colfox's Olivia Wilmore won all three races in the Year 7 Girls series, smashing her home course record by an amazing 45 seconds in a time of 9m 20s.

Her efforts not only gave her the overall individual title but helped her colleagues take the team title with 13 points.

Another Colfox pupil Dane James also completed a hat trick of individual race wins knocking 31 seconds off the record in the Junior Boys class in a time of 10m48s and helping lift the team title with 18 points.

## monopoly broken

Woodroffe pupil Tamsin Edge broke the Colfox monopoly by winning the Junior Girls race, another to remain unbeaten over the competition.

She won in a time of 10m 36s to knock 28 seconds off the course record, and her efforts helped the Lyme Regis school to take the team award with 24 points.

Siblings Fergus and Flora Johnson from Thomas Hardy School, dominated the Inter Boys and Girls races; Fergus winning in 12m 07s, while Flora scorched home in a record time of 11m 22s to set

a new record by 13 seconds.

The win cemented Flora as the overall individual winner, but Fergus was beaten by Colfox's Billy Jones for the overall title.

Individual and team winners were presented with their awards at the end of racing by Ashley Chant, managing director of sponsors A P Chant Building Services of Bridport.

Organiser Andy David said: "I would like to thank Ashley for his generosity as well as the Watton Hill



**FIRST TO THE TAPE:** The overall individual winners of the South West Dorset Schools Cross Country Championships (l-r): Manny Cox (Colfox), Olivia Wilmore (Colfox), Billy Jones (Colfox), Ashley Chant (sponsor AP Chant), Dane James (Colfox), Tamsin Edge (Woodroffe) and Flora Johnson (Thomas Hardy)



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## INSIDE: Local sport round up

### Woeful Weymouth lose the plot

Weymouth 0 St Albans City 3  
CALOR PREMIER ATT: 444

If the Weymouth players were playing for their places at the Bob Lucas Stadium on Saturday, not many enhanced their chances, as they were easily beaten by St Albans City.

For the second week running the Terras failed to find the net against opposition in and around them in the Calor League Premier Division whilst conceding ten goals, leaving manager Brendon King with a massive job to turn the club's slide around.

Although they beat Bridport in the Dorset Senior Cup midweek, it wasn't a convincing performance and King had promised that heads would roll if there was no improvement.

It appears on this performance that he will be sharpening the axe.

Weymouth mustered just two shots throughout the 90 minutes and left the pitch to boos from their fans as the Saints extended their unbeaten away run to 14.

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The visitors took the lead on nine minutes when James Comley received a headed pass 30 yards from goal.

When three Weymouth players then stood off him he took two steps forward before firing in a shot which keeper Jason Matthews got a hand to but couldn't prevent going inside his left hand post.

The former Magpie stopper then had to tip John Frendo's header over the bar, before veteran keeper John Bostock blocked Luke Burbidge shot on 38 minutes; Weymouth's first real effort on goal.

Scott Walker then had Bostock flying across goal to tip his 30-yard effort over the top.

St Albans came out strongly after the interval and went two up on 55 minutes when the Weymouth de-

fence let them play head tennis from a corner and despite the attention of Nathan Walker and Danny Clay, captain Ben Martin was given time to turn and hook the ball home just inside Matthew's left hand post from six yards.

Frendo completed Weymouth's woes on 79 minutes following a free-kick given against Yetton in the Saints half for a late tackle.

From the resultant kick Clay was outfought and the ball was played in to Frendo and when his pass rebounded back into his path he neatly steered the ball past Matthews' outstretched foot.

While relegation is not something to contemplate, apart from two back to back wins recently their form has been abysmal, and after spending what is reputed to be £4,000 a week on players wages, questions must surely soon be asked as to where they go now.

PORTLAND Red Triangle in partnership with The Osprey Centre Portland hosted a fundraiser for Cricket Without Boundaries (CWB) with the Youth Section taking on the Parents/Coaches in an indoor T20.

**Portland Coaches/Parents 108-5  
beat PRTCC Youth Section 105-10 by 5 wkt**

BATTING first the youth section got off to a slow start against the varied flight and pace of Mrs. Dunning, Mrs. Cotter and Mrs. Coombes and the outstanding fielding of the assembled ranks of parents.

The Coaches' Ryan Price came in for some severe punishment conceding 15 runs in his over as the youth section looked to post a competitive score.

Runs mounted and wickets fell as the contest heated up and the Parents/Coaches would have had more wickets but for a simple drop from skipper Jon Cameron.

The Parents reply began well with a fine partnership of 32 between Mrs Durrant and Mrs Coombes, but with these two retiring the runs dried up as

the Parents fell behind the run rate.

Matters were not helped when Michael Dunning clean bowled Dad for a duck and the impressive Jacob Coombes had Ryan Price caught behind for three.

Graham Riley steadied the ship, with a fine 28 and it was left to Michael Colebrooke to hit the winning runs with four overs to spare.

Portland Coach and CWB Volunteer Grant Neven wished to record his sincere thanks to all who made the effort and helped to make the match such an enjoyable experience.

"Well done all, and what a cracking game. A return match in the summer they ask; oh yes I say!"



■ RUN FOR COVER: Action from the parents and coaches innings



## SEASONAL NEWS!



We are recovering from the hustle and bustle of our FACELIFT! We haven't finished the Office renovation because preparations for Christmas have kind of taken over. The Christmas lights on the balcony look especially good against the new paint, thanks to Cosmin's help. The lounge Christmas tree is twinkling and beautifully decorated by Daniella. Time is flying by, isn't it? Vi Flux has celebrated her 84th Birthday and Cyril Bugler his 87th (and not 86th as I erroneously stated last time - my maths!) We welcomed entrepreneurs from The Woodruffe School and bought lots and lots of cake. Come back soon, guys!

Well done to all involved in "A Christmas Carol" at The Marine Theatre last week. It was perfect for all six residents who attended the Matinee as the scenes were crisp, visual and quick, the scene changes flawless, and the lighting really varied. One lady attending sees little and another hears nothing, but both were able to enjoy aspects of the performance of a very familiar story. Thanks too for the help from folks involved in the Box Office and Front of House; apologies to the 3 double-decker buses and all the cars who had to wait while we unloaded and held up all the traffic through Lyme! I have personally been particularly affected by the death of Mandela, in my opinion the best leader the world has seen in the last 1,000 years. His passing marks the end of an era for those involved in the Anti-Apartheid struggle, and recall many happy memories of the childhood of my children, where the first image inside our front door was his poster. Cyril, Iris and especially Margaret who lived many years in a different part of Africa, are pictured as we watched his Celebration Ceremony intently this morning. Let us

wish the spirit of Truth and Reconciliation can be used to affect other areas of our world where justice is lacking, thinking especially of more central areas of Africa and of Palestine.

We are looking forward to our "Old Time Party" next Thursday at 3pm and visitors & old friends are welcome. On Tuesday 17th at 6pm we will welcome our friends from Bethany Chapel for our Carol Service, also open to visitors for a sincere Christmas sing-song with mulled wine and minced pies. Many thanks, Bethany for another year of your support and spiritual inspiration. May those in your congregations not so well this year enjoy a blessed time this Christmas.

Finally, in the words of the converted Scrooge: "A Happy Christmas One and All". See you all in 2014 - unless anyone wants to stay with us over Christmas and New Year, we have a room free!



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